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The Mayor and Council

In a few weeks the citizens of Red Deer will be called upon to select a Mayor and four Councillors for the year 1912. So far there has been very little interest displayed in the question of selection. There are three members of the Council who go out this year, namely, Messrs. Gaetz, Carscallen and Galbraith, and Councillor Menzies is retiring, owing to removal from Red Deer, making four vacancies to fill. Councillor Carscallen has expressed his willingness to stand for another term, and we presume the other members of the Council can be persuaded to do the same, as they are good representative citizens.

The Mayor, we understand, is in the hands of the people. Mr. Wulliver has made a splendid executive head and has devoted more time to the affairs of the town, we believe, than any previous Mayor, and is entitled to the support of the citizens at large. It has been the custom to offer the Mayor a second term, and the News favors this plan, by extending to R. B. Wellver an election by acclamation for the year 1912.

Orangemen Have Jolly Entertainment

A very successful entertainment and supper was held at the Orange hall, on Friday, 10th inst., under the auspices of Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 1625, Red Deer. The programme, which consisted of solos, dialogues and instrumental, as well as phonograph selections, was highly appreciated.

Although the weather was somewhat inclement, yet a good crowd turned out, about one hundred sitting down for supper, which was every thing that could be desired.

Speeches were given by E. Michener, M.P.P., R. B. Wulliver, and Revs. Brown, Paton and Bennett, all of which were very much appreciated.

After a little dancing everyone went home feeling more than pleased that they came, as the universal idea was "We have had a jolly good time."

Band's Concert

The concert given in the Lyric Theatre on Monday night proved most delightful to a large audience. The Juvenile Bostonians, a company of twenty young girls, presented "The Ransom" in a clever manner, winning many encores in the musical numbers, which were extremely catchy.

This was the first of a series of three concerts to be given in aid of the Band. Those to follow are "The Dixie Jubilee Singers" and the "Castle Square Entertainers," both under the management of Mr. J. Cosgrove, who handles only first class productions.

The Band is very proud of the attendance at the concert given Monday night and, while nothing was added to the treasury, owing to the fact that the hall costs $40 on each occasion, which sum equalled the Band's share of the entertainment, it is hoped that the attendance at the remaining two concerts will be quite as large and representative, making it possible to clear more money as the Band buys these two concerts outright.

The Band feels that it has the good will of the citizens and will continue throughout the winter to practise and merit the appreciation of the citizens.

The Press Association

The city of Calgary was very kind to the members of the Alberta and Eastern B.C. Press Association last week when the association met there. The Mayor did the graceful act by extending to them the freedom of the city, which they proceeded to take advantage of. The Board of Trade banqueted them, and the cold wave could not dampen the ardor of the city press in their welcome to the visiting brethren, warming their hearts into a glow of satisfaction and they almost felt as though they owned the city. They were taken to Banff in a special car and again banqueted to the entire satisfaction of all. The association will meet at Nelson, B.C., next year.

Musical Recital

Miss C. Michener will hold her annual musical recital by her pupils on Thursday evening, Nov. 16th, at 8 o'clock, in the Oddfellows' Hall, when piano solos, duets and eight-hand selections for two pianos will be given by the pupils. There will be no admission fee, and the general public are cordially invited to be present.

Come and have a good hot cup of Scotch broth in Scotland Nov. 28th.

All members of the S. O. E. are specially invited to attend lodge meeting tonight at 8 o'clock prompt. Concert and dance afterwards.

Our Great Progress Number is out to-day. Send a copy to your friends in B.C., Ontario, Newfoundland, England or anywhere. It will make a nice Christmas present. Help boost Red Deer. Only 25 cents.

Opening of Conservative Club at Wetaskiwin

Banquet to the Leader of the Opposition

Monday was an auspicious day among the Conservatives of Wetaskiwin. A commodious club was opened, an excellent building on Pearce Street having been secured for the club's headquarters. A Conservative meeting was held in the afternoon from two to three, and at three to 4.30 a public reception was held. There was a large turnout and much enthusiasm was shown in connection with this laudable venture.

The meeting in the evening drew a large audience which manifested considerable interest in the speeches which were delivered. The Mayor of the city spoke briefly in his capacity as Mayor, preferring for the moment not to refer to politics except incidentally.

The speech of the evening was delivered by E. Michener, M.P.P., the leader of the Opposition, who was introduced as the next Premier of Alberta. Mr. Michener received a very hearty and enthusiastic reception and proceeded at once to lay before the audience the policy of the party of which he is the leader.

The leader of the Opposition congratulated the Conservative party of Wetaskiwin upon their cheery and commodious club. He recommended the young people of the city to join it regardless of their political views, unless they should be too far gone in the ways of the Liberal party to be beyond hope. The speaker referred to the advantages of such an institution in a city such as Wetaskiwin, and referred to the club in the town of Red Deer, where he had attended, a few nights before, a Mock Parliament, in which speeches were delivered showing alertness and ability not excelled on the floor of the House in Edmonton.

Mr. Michener went on to show that the Conservative party had always been the party of constructive and progressive policy since the days of Confederation down to the present.

Referring to the charge that the election of September 21st had been won by sentiment, the speaker said that any sentiment that placed such a man as the Hon. R. L. Borden at the head of the affairs of this Dominion was a worthy sentiment surely. The applause which followed this and other remarks in similar strain showed that the speaker had his audience with him to a man. "Under his administration," said the speaker, "we can look for honest government and an efficient and able administration of the affairs of this great Dominion. There is no need to fear so long as the government of this country is under such honorable leadership." In reply to the charge which has been made that in the recent election the Conservatives had overdone the waving of the flag, the speaker said that Champ Clark appeared to be somewhat of a serious joker in view of the fact that he had recently made the wildest assertions on the floor of Congress to the effect that on a policy of annexation he could carry the states of the Union with him. "While we have the kindest feeling towards our neighbors to the south," declared the speaker, "he ventured to say that it would take more than the electors of the United States to decide whether the Dominion of Canada will be annexed or not." Loud cheers greeted this statement, and the speaker continued, "I can say at least that Canadians are not waiting at the border for that event."

THE BYE-ELECTIONS.

"I suppose, sir, that you have heard that we have recently had some bye-elections. (Laughter). All the Conservatives have heard of it, but I am not so sure that all the Liberals have heard of it. These four bye-elections gave splendid majorities for the Conservative party. I think the results in these elections have been very largely due to the fact that we have had in this province a government that has not been a government of the people, by the people, and for the people, but we have had a government of the party, by the party, and for the party, to such an extent, that we have not had representative government. We were reminded by the Premier in the last election in Gleichen that the people had endorsed his policy, and that he would not put the people of this country to the expense of a general election. During the present bye-elections not only had Gleichen constituency defeated the Sifton government by several hundred majority, but in the city of Calgary the Conservative candidate received a majority of over 1100 votes, and Lethbridge and Pincher Creek, both representative constituencies of southern Alberta, had given handsome majorities, thereby expressing their lack of confidence in the present Sifton government and their administration of the affairs of this province. And the electors of this province are only waiting the opportunity of a general election when they will say with no uncertain sound, as on the 21st of Sept. last, "It is about time for a change."

Mr. Michener then took up in detail the A. & G. W. matter and various matters of Conservative policy such as were discussed recently in the bye-elections. The speaker was greeted at the close of his able and convincing address with three cheers, and the meeting closed with the national hymn.

A splendid banquet was afterwards tendered the leader of the Opposition at the Criterion. Wetaskiwin shows unmistakable signs of returning a Conservative member at the next election to support Mr. Michener in his fight for a competent and business like administration of the affairs of the province, and there is a general desire that the opportunity for expressing their political convictions may come very soon.

Mr. A. V. White, engineer for the Conservation Commission, has written Mr. Davison that he will be in Red Deer about the 20th inst. for the purpose of investigating the waterpower available on the river. Measurements will be taken and estimates made of the amount of power that can be developed, and the cost and methods of such an undertaking.

A PUBLIC MEETING
TO DISCUSS
Provincial Issues
Will be held on the Evening of
TUESDAY, Nov. 21st
At 8 p.m., in the
LYRIC THEATRE
Addresses will be given by
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EXPLORERS RETURN

Englishmen Who Spent Two Months Near Mount Robson in the Rockies

Messrs. Dr. N. Collie and A. L. Mumm, of London, England, have returned to Edmonton after two months spent in the Canadian Rockies on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. These gentlemen have been exploring a hitherto unknown region in the vicinity of Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies, and were accompanied by a train of twenty pack horses, and they state that in some places the forests were so impenetrable that they had to cut their way through. Several discoveries were made. In one locality they came across two great glaciers larger than any known in the Rockies, and sighted a towering peak that had the appearance of being even larger than Mount Robson, which is 13,700 feet above the level of the sea. One of the glaciers was 40 to 50 miles in length, and 7 to 8 miles in length, and of striking formation.

In a letter received by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, Arthur O. Wheeler, the well-known mountain climber and topographer, who is at present in the Canadian Rockies making observations for the purpose of mapping out the district, says: "We have a great amount of splendid material for publication and a collection of photographs that cannot be surpassed. We have just completed what is very nearly a hundred-mile circuit around Mount Robson, the highest peak in the Canadian Rockies. The peaks and valleys, lakes and waterfalls, on all sides of it, and the glaciers, are very fine. The region is immense, and their is work for years to come, exploring, mapping and depicting. There is a fine bunch of high peaks and large snowfields and glaciers south-west of Tete Jeane Cache. There are also great peaks up the Athabaska and Fraser headwaters, tributary to your line. The most showy part of Mount Robson is the Robson Pass and glacier, and Berg Lake."

In addition to the above Mr. Wheeler reports that his party have collected over 600 specimens of animal and bird life, and a good botanical collection as well. This expedition, which was organized by the Grand Trunk Pacific, has been a most successful one, and when its results are published, will be of great value. The facts now known bear out the general impression that the territory contiguous to the mountain division of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway will surpass in scenic beauty that which can be seen on any other of the North American transcontinental lines.

BEST IN THE WORLD

Canadian Oddfellows Won First Prize at Indianapolis

The champion drilled canton in the world of Oddfellowship is now Canton Toronto, No. 7, which attended the meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge at Indianapolis. After having won lesser prizes for the last two years the Toronto Canton this year succeeded in winning the $1,000 prize offered for the best drilled company. Something of what this achievement means will be learned from the fact that on the grand parade of the patriarchs militants there were 32,000 men in line. The Toronto team consisted of three officers, Major G. M. Hermiston, Captain A. P. Nielsen and Lieutenant George Shackleton, and 24 chevaliers.

FIFTY YEARS AN OFFICIAL

The Veteran Freight Traffic Manager of the G.T.R. Retires

The announcement is made that Mr. John W. Loud, freight traffic manager of the Grand Trunk Railway System and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, is severing his connection with these companies. Mr. Loud retires with a record of fifty years' continuous service in railway work, and is relinquishing his duties to take advantage of the general pension system of the Grand Trunk, he having reached the age limit. Mr. Loud commenced his railway career in England fifty years ago, starting in with the Midland Railway of England on Aug. 9, 1861, and leaving that railway in 1872 to come to Canada. On Sept. 17, 1872, he entered the freight department of the Grand Trunk Railway at Montreal, and since that time his promotion had been continuous.

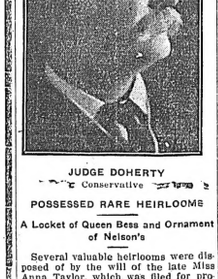
EVERYBODY LOOKED

"Did she look well in her new bathing suit at the Lake?"

"Yes; and so did everybody else."

LEARNING TO DO

Some people learn to do by being done.



JUDGE DOHERTY
Conservative

POSSESSED RARE HEIRLOOME

A Locket of Queen Bess and Ornament of Nelson's

Several valuable heirlooms were disposed of by the will of the late Miss Anna Taylor, which was filed for probate in the Surrogate Court, Toronto. The estate was valued at $2,050, and several nieces and nephews divide the money. A silver vinaigrette locket, said to have belonged to Queen Elizabeth, is left to Mrs. Annie Saunders. Another heir receives a rare ornament once the property of Lord Nelson, and Dyce Saunders, K.C., receives a sword used by the testator's father in the Battle of Waterloo.

TWO THOUSAND SEEKING MORMON CONVERTS

Some of Them are in Toronto—H. T. Preece Believes They Will Soon be Represented in Parliament

"Christianity and Mormonism cannot exist in the same place, because they are opposed to each other," said Mr. H. T. Preece, in the course of a strong indictment of the Mormon religion. "Two thousand young men are scouring the world to-day," was another of his statements, "for converts to Mormonism. They have to go or they would be kicked out of their church. Some of them are in Toronto, carrying around their literature. They don't admit they are Mormons until they are taxed with it, and then they deny that polygamy is now practised. I say that it is an untruth, and that it is still practised by the leaders of the church themselves."

Mr. Preece said he was prepared to prove that thousands of Mormon converts, principally young unmarried women, were being brought into Canada, and into the United States by way of Canada, and that they were being conveyed by a steamship line at special cut rates. He referred to the growth of Mormonism in Alberta, and said the propagandists would soon have their representatives at Ottawa, as they had in Congress, and would use their power politically to prevent legislation against their religion.

OLDEST ODDFELLOW DEAD

City Assessor at St. Catharines Succumbed to a Brief Illness

Samuel G. Dolson, for 41 years city assessor of St. Catharines, passed away after a brief illness brought on by age. He had attained his 85th year. He was educated and spent his entire life in St. Catharines, figuring prominently in the construction of most of the larger buildings, either as contractor or architect. He was a prominent member of the Masonic and Odd fellow orders, being at the time of his death the oldest Oddfellow in all Canada, having been initiated in Union Lodge in St. Catharines on January 12, 1852, and held membership continuously ever since. He served as grand secretary in 1858 and nine years as Ontario grand master.

The deceased built the public arches in St. Catharines used at the time of the visit of the late King Edward as Prince of Wales in '61. He was also the builder of the court house, Masonic temple, Oddfellows' building, four churches and six schools. He served in the council and was deputy reeve in the old days. Besides being assessor he was a member of the local board of health for years. When the government expropriated Queen Victoria Park, Niagara Falls, some years ago, he acted as valuator.



GEORGE E. McCRANEY, M.P.
Saskatoon.

FUNERAL SERVICE POSTPONED

Relatives Discovered Wrong Ashes Had Been Sent.

At Cataraqui Cemetery, Kingston, when the cremated remains of David W. Trotter, of Long Beach, California, were about to be interred, the startling discovery was made that the wrong case had been received. The label intimated that the steel box contained the ashes of Mrs. Orphella Farrington, aged 82 years. The case was placed in the vault at the cemetery, and the undertaker at Long Beach written to for an explanation. The friends of the late Mr. Trotter had received the small case from the Dominion Express Company and had taken it to the cemetery.

APPLES FOR KING GEORGE

Three Cases Shipped From Quebec for the Royal Family.

R. W. Shepherd, of Como shipped three cases of fameuse apples to England. One case was for King George, another for Queen Mary, and the other for the Queen Mother Alexandra. This was in accord with Mr. Shepherd's custom ever since 1896, when the late King Edward first became acquainted with the superior quality of Quebec's famous apples, and gave Mr. Shepherd a standing order for two cases of them every year.

"LITTLE RUSSIAN PRINCE" DEAD

Celebrated Dwarf Expires at London After Exhibition

"The Little Russian Prince" died at London, Ontario. He had just finished his week at the Western Fair, where he had been seen by thousands, and was at the railway station awaiting his train for Detroit to appear in the Midway at the State Fair, when he succumbed to heart failure. The "Prince" was 36 years of age, 27 inches in height and weighed 16½ pounds. When born in Siberia he weighed only eight ounces, and a cigar box was his cradle. By order of the Czar he was taken to Court by his father, who took the opportunity to plead for his freedom, the elder Nicholl being a political prisoner. The latter was pardoned. The dwarf is said to have accumulated a fortune in sideshows. He was accompanied by a manager and a nurse, in whose arms he died, and his brightness of mind was widely commented upon by all. The remains were taken to New Orleans for interment.

Romantic End to Kidnapping

Miss Gladys Price, the Ontario School teacher who was abducted by an armed man and detained for thirty hours in the bush near Manitou, Manitoba, was married later to her old fiance, Frank Patterson.



J. R. HOWITT

The former member in the Legislature for South Wellington. He will not be a candidate again.

A SPLENDID COUNTRY

Earl Grey's Fine Tribute to Canada and Canadians.

Earl Grey upon his return to England said in part: "It is impossible to be too sanguine as to the future development of Canada. It is a splendid country, and is going ahead as fast as anyone could desire. The more it increases in strength, the greater will be the accession of strength to the Empire. I am glad to be back in England, after seven eventful years. They have been seven happy years in a land of sunshine, and although I am glad to be back among those who are carrying on practically single-handed the whole burden of the British Empire, I confess I was sorry to leave the Dominion. As to the Canadian climate, I can only say I thoroughly enjoyed it, whether in summer or winter, and am not sure that before the present winter is over I shall not wish to be in Canada again."

Referring to the census returns, he said he did venture to agree in the view that the Canadian census returns did not show, as had been too hastily assumed in some quarters, that Canada had had a setback. The increase in population was a substantial one, and it was only as compared with the estimates that a falling-off could be shown. He would not even agree that those who had framed those estimates had been too sanguine.

JUDICIAL SALE OF FARM NEAR RED DEER

Pursuant to the final order for sale made in Parlby vs. Wright et al (S. C. 1765),

There will be sold at Public Auction by
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ON MONDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1911
At 2 o'clock P.M.,
AT THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE,
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The property will be offered subject to a reserved bid.

Terms: 10 per cent. to be paid to the vendor's solicitors at the time of sale; balance without interest to be paid into the Supreme Court at Calgary to the credit of this action within 60 days after date of sale.

In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of the Supreme Court of Alberta.

Further particulars will be made known at the time of sale and can be obtained by application to Messrs. MUIR, JEPHSON & ADAMS, Solicitors, Calgary, MR. C. B. REILLY, Solicitor, Calgary, Messrs. ROBINSON & RUSSELL, Solicitors, Red Deer.

DATED at Calgary, 20th October, 1911.

Laurence J. Clark,
Clerk of the Court.

Oct 25, 4w.

The Cash System

On and after September 1st all orders for coal and wood must be paid for when ordered.

HEWSON & SONS

To APPLETON E. COLBY

TELEGRAPH OPERATOR.

Pursuant to the order of the Honorable Wm. A. D. Lees, dated the Sixteenth day of October, 1911, notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced against you by John W. Hardie, to enforce an agreement to give John W. Hardie a Transfer in fee simple for Lot Twenty-three (23), Block Twenty-three (23), in the Town of Red Deer, according to plan "K 5" or for an order vesting the property in him.

You are required to enter an appearance to the said action with the Deputy Clerk of the District Court of the District of Wetaskiwin at Red Deer, Alberta, within Twenty days after the Eighth of November, 1911, and within Six days thereafter file your defence to the said action and in default judgment will be given against you.

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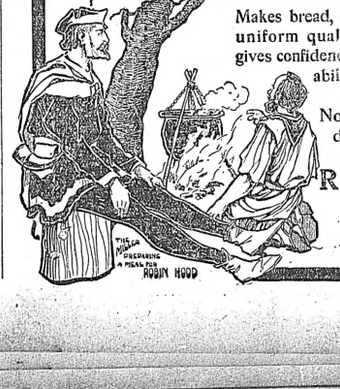
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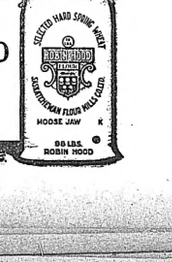
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LAUGHING JACKASS

Many years ago, before steamboats were so plentiful as they are now, a certain Wellington Smith paid a visit to Australia in order to hunt the kangaroo.

When he woke up the first morning he stood at the window, which looked out upon the garden, and, as his custom was, went solemnly through his breathing exercises.

Suddenly, just as he was performing the feat of touching his toes, he nearly fell over himself with surprise and anger, for out of the shadow of the trees there came a deep, rollicking laugh. "Ha! ha! ha! ha! What a joke! ha! ha! You do look a sight!" the laugh seemed to say.

"Ha! ha!" it went on, and Wellington Smith got quite purple with fury. It had never dawned on him before that a stout man trying to touch his toes must be a rather funny sight.

"Australian manners," he muttered. "I'll teach 'em to make fun of me!"

And now a second laugh had joined the first, and the whole house seemed to ring with the mocking, teasing sounds. "Ha! ha!" roared the first voice; "Ha! ha!" echoed the second, and Smith cut short his exercises and dressed as quickly as he could. After breakfast he mentioned the matter, very stiffly, to his host; but what was his surprise when the Australian, after looking at him for a moment with open mouth, burst into a great laugh himself—laughed and laughed until he had to hold his sides.

"Come out," he said; taking his astonished guest by the arm, "and I will show you the fellow whose sense of humor has been tickled so much."

They went out into the garden, and there sitting solemnly on a branch of a tall she-oak was a big bird with a huge bill, almost as big as its body.

"There's your joker," said the squatter. "It was the laughing jackass you heard. He does love a joke."

"That!" said Smith.

His surprised face caused the Australian to burst into another laugh, and lo, "Ha! ha!" the bird joined in as if enjoying his victim's amazement.

"I suppose you thought a jackass was a kind of donkey," said the squatter. "So did I until I came out to Australia. Isn't it wonderful to find a bird that can laugh like that? Those fellows can see a joke as well as you or I."

"Nonsense!" said Smith, feeling a bit nettled. "It's just the noise they make. It's not a real laugh."

"Oh, isn't it!" said the squatter, "Very funny thing, then, they always seem to laugh at the right moment. You wait till you know them as well as I do."

But Wellington Smith was not content with knowing the bird in his native wilds. Nothing would satisfy him but that he must capture one to take home to England.

Hunting the kangaroo quite paled beside the excitement of catching a jackass, and at last his wish came true.

By means of a special cage containing a bait that was quite too tempting for Mr. Jackass, Wellington Smith became the proud possessor of the bird that had dared to laugh at him.

But once inside the cage there was no laughter from the jackass.

"What did I tell you?" said the squatter. "He doesn't see the joke of losing his liberty."

"Of course he will pine a bit," said Smith, "but he will get used to it."

So he went back to England taking he jackass with him, intending to show his prize to all his friends.

But that jackass was a failure from the show point of view. That annoying bird kept up an obstinate silence the whole time, and nobody would believe he really could laugh just like a man.

Wellington Smith spent all his spare time in front of the cage "ha ha ing" with all his might, but the jackass only winked solemnly out of one eye at him, and did not even smile.

At last, one day when Smith was showing the bird to a party of visitors, he lost his temper.

"Laugh, you wretch! Laugh! Laugh! Why don't you laugh, you wretch!" he cried, and struck the cage door with his fist.

The catch slipped, the door flew open, and in a trice out came Master Jackass.

Out he flew through the open window into the garden, and perched himself on the topmost branch of the tallest tree in the place.

Out came Wellington Smith, out came his friends, and out came John the Gardener, with cage and ladder.

The gardener's son joined in the chase, and climbed the tree like a squirrel, but when he was halfway up the jackass laughed at another.

Hot and perspiring, angry and excited, the group below tried to entice him back to the cage.

But Mr. Jackass was one of those beings who profit by experience.

There was to be no more cage for him!

Then as he looked down upon the scene, and saw all the preparations that were being made to catch him again, the jackass, for the first time since he had left Australia, burst into a rollicking guffaw. He laughed and laughed and laughed till the little crowd looking up at him could not help themselves. They were forced to join in, and anyone passing that garden would have seen the strange sight of several respectable members of society rolling on the grass, holding their sides, unable to stop themselves from laughing, while foremost in the merriment was the erring jackass.

Even Wellington Smith was so triumphant that he had at last convinced his friends that the bird could laugh, he almost forgot his anger.

Still laughing, the jackass gaily flew away, and his parting guffaw echoed through the trees.

Wellington Smith never saw him again, and he admitted at last that the jackass certainly did seem to understand a joke, and that in this case at least the joke was all on his side.

A BIRTHDAY CIGAR

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LEADS IN ELECTRICITY

Canada Should Follow the Electrical Development of Norway

J. W. Richards, professor of metallurgy at Lehigh University, has been studying electrical conditions in Norway, and on his return home through Canada made the following statement: "From the electrical point of view Norway and Canada are very similar; each has abundant water power to generate the fluid, but Norway is several years ahead of Canada in its application of electricity to the commercial problems of the present day. The people of the Scandinavian peninsula, however, have realized that if they are to continue amongst the producing nations of the world they must hasten to develop their resources to the fullest extent, and to do so are spending unlimited money experimenting. Canada will be able to benefit from the mistakes of the older nation and model her plants on those which have proved successful instead of having to break the first sod in the virgin field of electro-chemical research."

He stated that Norway has at the present time the cheapest electricity in the world. Over half a million horsepower has been developed, and there is every prospect for a fifty per cent. increase in the near future. Consumers can obtain high tension power for $6.50 per horsepower per annum. The scene of the greatest activity is Notingen, where 240,000 horsepower are developed from the near-by Ruken Falls, and an enormous plant is now in operation extracting nitrogen from the air and forming nitrates, which are used as fertilizers and are rapidly rendering Europe independent of the Chilian nitrate fields. The ironmasters of Norway have recently united into an association for the purpose of experimenting with electric smelting furnaces, and have developed power at Trolhatten, where an experimental furnace was opened last November. The association was formed because the iron men realized that the charcoal resources of the country were being eliminated, partly by use and partially through the pulpwood trade, which is more profitable. Therefore, unless they could discover some new means of smelting, the industry was doomed. In the electrical furnace it has been discovered that only a third as much charcoal is needed as in the open hearth furnace, and ore can be smelted at a cost said to be $2.50 per ton less than by the old method. During the present year Mr. Richards said that big electrical development companies had been formed, and by the beginning of next year a plant would be in operation for the reconversion of old scrap into good iron and steel. For this purpose Norwegian buyers are at work in Europe obtaining old ships which would otherwise be scrapped, and bringing them to Norway, where they will be broken up carefully and their component parts separated and reduced to good iron and steel again. Mr. Richards looks forward to the day when Canada will be as flourishing from the electro-chemical point of view as Scandinavia is to-day.

BILL MINER'S PAL DEAD

Did Not Live to Complete His Twenty-One Year Sentence

Lewis Colquhon, bandit, who figured in the public eye in 1905 in holding up a westbound express on the Canadian Pacific Railway near Ducks, B.C., died in New Westminster Penitentiary Hospital. Colquhon was a pal of Bill Miner and Shorty Dust in this hold-up. The trio were captured later by mounted police after a hard fight in the foothills near Kamloops. Miner and Dust were sentenced to life imprisonment, and Colquhon was given 25 years. A few months ago Colquhon's health became impaired, and tuberculosis hastened his end. He was 34 years of age and unmarried. He was a school teacher and later bookkeeper before he went wrong.

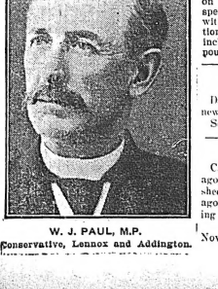
THE DUCHESS IS SHY

Says English Knight, Regarding Coming Queen of Rideau Hall

Sir Charles and Lady Craufurd, who have come direct from Annbank House, Ayershire, are in Montreal. Sir Charles said that Canadians had every reason to feel glad that the Duke of Connaught is coming to Canada. "He is such a charming man," he said, "and without any side whatever. He is sure to be popular. The Duchess is very shy. Sometimes people have thought that she meant to be standoffish and haughty, but that is not the case; it is simply because of her shyness that people have got that impression."

TURN ABOUT

Probably most people think you are as foolish as you think they are.



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ELEVEN NEW SEATS FOR THE COMMONS

The East Will Lose Nine Members While the West Will Gain Twenty

As a result of the census the new unit of representation in the Commons will be, on the basis of the population of Quebec, 30,780. On this basis Nova Scotia will lose two members, New Brunswick two, Prince Edward Island one, and Ontario four. Manitoba will gain five members, Saskatchewan five, Alberta five and British Columbia five. The east will therefore lose nine members and the west will gain twenty members. The total membership of the new House will be 232 members as compared with 221 at present.

The increase in the last decade was over three times as great as the increase during the preceding decade, when the growth in population was only 538,076.

The principal growth was of course in Western Canada, where the total increase was in round figures 1,008,000, compared with an increase of 622,000 for eastern Canada. The increases by provinces, according to the partially incomplete figures given below, were as follows, in order of the respective increase:

Saskatchewan—362,229.
Quebec—351,799.
Ontario—336,955.
Alberta—299,857.
British Columbia—184,109.
Manitoba—149,480.
New Brunswick—20,695.
Northwest Territories—10,129.
Nova Scotia—2,273.
Prince Edward Island shows a decrease of 5,537.

Growth of Cities

In regard to the growth of cities Calgary shows the largest percentage of increase, and Montreal the largest aggregate increase. Montreal with its suburbs has passed the half-million mark.

The population of principal cities and towns in Canada, compared for 1911 and 1910, is as follows:

	1911.	1901.	Increase since
Alberta			
Calgary	43,726	3,539	
Edmonton	24,882	22,256	
Lethbridge	8,048	5,576	
Medicine Hat	5,572	4,002	
Strathcona	5,580	5,030	
British Columbia			
Nanaimo	8,305	2,175	
Nelson	4,474	*799	
New Westminster	13,394	6,895	
Prince Rupert	4,771	4,771	
Point Grey	4,319	4,319	
Vancouver	100,333	73,323	
Vancouver North	7,781	7,781	
Vancouver South	16,021	16,021	
Victoria	31,620	10,804	
Manitoba			
Brandon	13,837	8,217	
Portage la Prairie	5,885	1,984	
St. Boniface	7,717	5,698	
Winnipeg	135,449	93,090	
New Brunswick			
Fredericton	7,208	91	
Moncton	11,329	2,303	
St. John	42,363	1,652	
Nova Scotia			
Dartmouth	5,058	252	
Joice Bay	16,561	9,616	
Halifax	46,681	5,249	
North Sydney	5,418	772	
Sydney Mines	7,464	4,273	
Sydney Town	17,617	7,708	
Truro	6,016	22	
Yarmouth	6,571	-141	
Prince Edward Island			
Charlottetown	11,198	*882	
Quebec			
Chicoutimi	5,886	2,054	
Fraserville	6,441	2,273	
Granby	4,750	977	
Grande Mere	4,783	2,272	
Hull	17,585	3,592	
Joliette	6,346	3,126	
Lachine	10,778	5,217	
Levis	7,448	*335	
Longueuil	4,016	1,181	
Maisonneuve	18,674	14,716	
Montreal	466,197	198,467	
Quebec	78,067	9,227	
St. Hyacinthe	9,797	587	
St. Jean	5,903	1,373	
Sherbrooke	16,455	4,640	
Sorel	8,419	1,362	
Thetford Mines	7,261	5,606	
Trois Rivieres	14,441	4,460	
Valleyfield	9,447	*1,608	
Verdun	11,622	9,724	
Westmount	14,318	5,462	
Saskatchewan			
Moose Jaw	13,824	12,266	
Prince Albert	6,254	4,469	
Regina	30,210	27,961	
Saskatoon	12,002	11,889	

*Decrease.

On a percentage basis the betterment in ten years is 32 per cent. The biggest percentage increase ever reached by the United States was 24 per cent. Alberta gained 411 per cent., Saskatchewan 396 per cent., British Columbia 103 per cent., Manitoba 78 per cent., Quebec 21 per cent., Ontario 16 per cent., New Brunswick 6 per cent., and Nova Scotia ½ per cent. Prince Edward Island shows a falling off of 9 per cent. During the decade 1,705,375 immigrants arrived in Canada, which, with the natural increase, should have made the population about eight millions.

RAILWAY "GIANT" KILLED

John Phair, aged 46, an Ottawa bridge inspector, was instantly killed 150 miles below Quebec city. He was on what is known as a gasoline speeder, on a bridge, when it collided with a train. He was a man of exceptionally fine physique, being 6 feet 4 inches in height, and weighing 277 pounds.

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STRAY STOCK.

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Nov 1, 3w.

THE BORDEN CABINET NOT SO VERY YOUNG

Aggregate of Ages is Not Much Below That of Laurier Cabinet in 1896

The Canadian Cabinet is not, comparatively speaking, very much younger than was the Laurier Ministry when it took office in 1896. Of course there were three aged members of the Laurier Ministry, Sir Oliver Mowat, Sir Henri Joli, and Hon. R. W. Scott, whose ages make the total heavier than it otherwise would be; but the average age of the Laurier Cabinet in 1896 compares not unfavorably with that of the Borden Cabinet in 1911.

Here are the comparisons: Ages in 1896—Laurier, 55; Cartwright, 61; Mowat, 76; Davies, 51; F. W. Borden, 49; Mulock, 53; Fisher, 46; Tarte, 47; Fielding, 48; Blair, 52; Sifton, 35; Paterson, 57; Joly, 67; Scott, 71; Geoffrie, 53; Dobell, 59.

Ages in 1911—Borden, 57; Foster, 64; Doherty, 56; Hazen, 51; Hughes, 59; Pelletier, 54; Burrill, 53; Monk, 55; White, 45; Cochrane, 59; Rogers, 47; Reid, 52; Nantel, 54; Roche, 52; Perley, 54; Kemp, 59; Lougheed, 57.

SANE RECREATION

The Church Must Provide Amusement of Some Sort for Young People

Rev. L. Hudson, of Sydenham, Australia, speaking recently in Canada, said that one of the first principles of Herbert Spencer's life was to become a good animal. Probably the race for amusement was becoming a dangerous fever in the veins of the young, but still recreation had a place in life. To refuse boys and girls the privilege of playing because they might want to play when they were older, was as foolish as it was grotesque. John Wesley's attempt in this direction was a blunder. A prominent member of the Church had said it was the Church's duty to provide recreation and amusement for the young. Another would have a billiard table in his home, but would deny its entrance into the Church. Some of them thought billiards was one of the best of games but the saloon was no place to play it. Many homes could not afford a billiard table, but the churches could. The Church, he maintained, had every thing to do with whatever touched the moral, intellectual and physical life of the young people. Recreation varied in form, according to climate and location, but the evils connected with it remained the same. For instance, they must protect the observance of the Sabbath, else insatiable pleasure seekers would filch it away from them. Recreation under sane direction and control, was the fault of life and should be an objective of the Church.

MULES FOR RAILWAY WORK

Sturdy Mules Imported for Construction at Nipigon

A large shipment of Mexican mules has just been brought into Canada for use in the construction of the Canadian Northern Railway between Port Arthur and Sellwood Junction. It is the first time these animals have been employed in such work in the country and the idea is that of Sir William Mackenzie, who was struck with their qualities during his trip to Mexico to inspect his mining interests there. The animals are much better than horses for the purpose, as they can endure greater privation and hardship, and, being especially sure-footed, will be of great value in conveying heavy loads in narrow places, over slippery excavations and unstable ties. The consignments of mules came to Canada by way of Duluth and Port Arthur.

BOAT HAD MANY ANIMALS

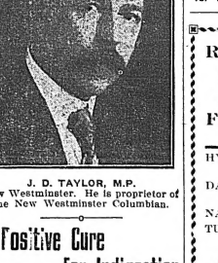
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There were, to begin with, 239 sheep. These were put down on the lower deck, and their incessant "baa-baa" and "maa-ing" was, to quote one of the wharfmen, "enough to drive a fellow 'dippy' inside of twenty-four hours, let alone having to put up with it for the better part of two months." On the upper deck there were seventy-four cattle and four horses.

The last item of live stock on the Melville's manifest comprised fifty mules, which, although they kicked against going on board, settled down in a remarkably short time once they had been stalled.

All the animals, with the exception of the mules, were prize-bred, and were being sent to South Africa for breeding purposes.



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TO IMPROVE HYMNS

Importance of Poetry in Education Discussed by Head of McGill.

Principal Peterson of McGill, speaking on "Poetry and Its Use in Schools," declared that poetry was one of the greatest factors in the proper education of children. He described our hymns as "namby-pamby," and announced his intention of compiling a book of better ones.

"The symbols of civilization in this country are said to be the railroad, the newspapers and the schools. The railways are successful and make all the money. As regards the newspapers, we never cease praying for their improvement. The school is at the other extreme. It makes no money and the profession is poorly paid. The school should be regarded as one part of the social problem, and the first object is to get to the masses and give them the broadest and most liberal education, to make the most of the brains of our people, not only by learning, but also by doing things. A nation at school is the counterpart of a nation in arms.

SWISS GUIDES

Canadian Pacific Railway to Transplant Colony in Canada

A colony of Swiss people will be transplanted to the Rocky Mountains. The nucleus of the colony will be the corps of Swiss guides now taken across annually by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to assist mountain climbers.

At the end of the present season, instead of returning to their native land, they will be joined in Canada by their families, and will make their homes in a highly-picturesque ready-made village which is now being prepared by the railway company. The name of Edelweiss will be given to the village, which is to be situated on the terraced slopes of the mountain side, the houses having the high pitched roofs and other features of distinctly Swiss architecture. Ultimately it is hoped that a string of these Swiss villages will be established throughout the Rockies.

As the work is permanent and the pay high, it is thought that some of the best Swiss guides will emigrate with their families.

A WOMAN LAWYER

A Special Bill Required For Her in Quebec

The distinction of being the first woman law student in Quebec province falls to Mrs. A. Langstaff, originally of Montreal, but latterly of Montreal. The bar of the Province of Quebec is not under its present powers authorized to admit women to the study of the practice of law, and consequently Mrs. Langstaff will be obliged to have a special bill passed by the provincial House. When interviewed, she expressed herself as very sanguine of having these barriers removed, and that while it might take some time for the accomplishment, she hoped in a few years to be a member of the bar of this province. In the Province of Ontario, she declared, women are admitted to the practice of the legal profession on the same terms as men, and this provision of the law was regularly being taken advantage of by the young women of that province.

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OUR PROGRESS NUMBER.

This week the News issues a publicity number relative to Red Deer, the agricultural, industrial and other resources of the district, and a general outline of our growth and future prospects.

It is needless to state we are proud of our publication, and claim, with pardonable pride, that it is the best publicity number of this kind ever issued by any paper in a town the size of Red Deer in the Province of Alberta or the West.

We are indebted for this success, in a large measure, to the loyal support given us by the merchants and other citizens of Red Deer, who have, with very few exceptions, helped in every way possible to give the issue a boost, and to H. H. Hobart, our valued assistant in this important work.

If we have failed in any particular to come up to the expectations of our friends, we wish to say we have done our best. No man can say more.

The design on the title page was drawn by V. B. Freytag and is a most creditable piece of work.

Copies of the issue can be obtained at the News Office.

A BLIND GUIDE.

The Grain Growers' Guide is misnamed. It should be called the Blind Guide. Not only does it not lead or even speak for the farmers of the west, but its insulting and vindictive tirades against Mr. Borden and the Conservative Ministers are strongly resented by the thoughtful and intelligent farmer of the west. Its Grit leanings are so apparent that it does not need a prophet to show it will either wreck all chances of the farmers of the west ever receiving that due consideration from the government of the day to which they are entitled, or the farmers themselves will have to wreck or, at least, choke off the ravings of this disgruntled writer of Grit fiction.

It says: "After winning the election on such cries as 'The Union Jack is good enough for me' * * * Mr. R. L. Borden placed himself on the payroll of Canada at $12,000 a year, plus $2,500 sessional indemnity, and then immediately proceeds to take a holiday and spend his good Canadian money on the golf links at Atlantic City, U.S.A."

This, as all know, is not only an uncalled for sneer by a paper professing to lead the farmers of the west, but it is absolutely false, as it was a majority of the people of Canada that placed Mr. Borden on the pay roll of Canada, and he only got what the Guide's dear friend, Sir Wilfrid, got for services rendered as head of the Government of this great Dominion.

The Guide pitches into the Minister of Finance for not reducing the duty on agricultural implements and cement, and abuses him for standing up for mergers and combines, although the Government could no possibly make any changes up to this time, and it favored and worked for the Liberal Government which was responsible for these things. It wound up by shrieking "What use is it to encourage farming by building good roads and extending rural mail delivery when the benefits from such improvements are more than discounted by a tariff-increased cost of living!"

How perfectly awful; and yet these are all the faults of the late Government—faults, we might say, countenanced by the Guide until there was a change of government. Now it cannot help show its hostility to the present administration, and thereby is doing all it can to frustrate the good intentions of the Borden Government giving the west a fair deal.

Hon. Duncan Marshall is still doing business at the old stand, and evidently declines to become a scape goat for anybody. Now what is the Calgary Albertan going to do about it?

Visit of Rev. F. G. Paton

Rev. F. G. Paton, son of Dr. Jno. Paton, one of the great missionaries of the New Hebrides Islands, visited Red Deer on Friday last and gave an address in the Presbyterian church on the missionary work in the South Sea Islands. Mr. Paton was born there and has devoted his life to missionary work. When Dr. J. G. Paton first went to the New Hebrides there were no Christians there, and when he left his own island there were no heathen. The natives of these islands were cannibals of the worst type, and before the coming of missionaries to these islands they captured and ate the crew and passengers of any vessel which was wrecked on the coast. The custom of burying alive the old and invalids and sickly children was frequently practiced. Since the coming of the missionaries the natives carry out good work in aiding the shipwrecked, and cruelty has given place to kindness. The Scriptures have been translated into the native language, and many native Christians have gone out as missionaries to the other islands. The lives of many missionaries have been sacrificed to the cruelty of the natives, Mr. Paton himself having escaped death in ways that can only be called miraculous. Mr. Paton visits Canada for the first time, and this is his first experience at temperature below zero. He is making a tour of Canada with a view to interesting the churches in mission work and raising money with which to more adequately continue this most important and interesting work.

SIR JOHN CARLING DEAD

Former Minister of the Crown Was in His 84th Year.

London, Ont., Nov. 6.—Senator Sir John Carling, former postmaster-general and minister of agriculture, died of pneumonia at 4 o'clock this afternoon at his residence. He was in his 84th year. He had been ill for some time last spring, but during the summer rallied, though at all times weak because of his age. Early Friday morning pneumonia developed and from the first there was no hope.

His children, including Fred and Mrs. Nicholson of Ottawa were present when the end came.

The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. Paul's Cathedral.

One of Canada's grand old men has passed away. Hon. Sir John Carling, K.C., M.G., will not exactly one of the fathers of confederation, was nevertheless an active participant in the political vicissitudes of those uncertain days in the history of Canada. A fact not generally known in connection with Sir John Carling's life is that he was to a large extent responsible for the confederation of the Canadian provinces. On one occasion Sir John A. Macdonald and Hon. Geo. Brown, who were at loggerheads over the question of welding the provinces into one nation, happened to be on the same train and Sir John Carling was present also. He got the two statesmen to discuss the question and smoothed over their differences to such an extent that they finally agreed on the policy that resulted in the formation of this great Dominion.

Evarts

General sympathy is manifested with the McMillan brothers in the loss they have sustained by the death of their sister Margaret, which took place at Evarts last Friday, and a large number of friends and neighbors assembled at the home on the Red Deer trail last Sunday week to attend the special service held by Mr. R. Yorke, junior, before the body was taken to Red Deer for interment.

A want long felt in this district is being provided by Mr. Reuben Clegg, who has commenced a boot and harness repairing business.

The village smithy is having a busy time. We wonder whether the establishment will add a chopping outfit, as one is badly needed. What about that flour mill proposal that was suggested for the district some time ago.

Blizzard in Saskatchewan

Great Damage to Many Farmers

Regina, Nov. 8.—Unless the unexpected happens, approximately one-third of the wheat crop in the Regina district will not be threshed this year.

The fall of snow which has been steady the past 36 hours put an effective stop on the threshing, with every indication that it has come to stay. The loss from premature setting in of winter will be severe and the climax to a bad season. It is estimated that in the province not more than sixty per cent. of the threshing has been completed.

BLIZZARD AT THE JAW.

Moose Jaw, Nov. 8.—Snow started falling last night and, but for a few fair intervals, has not ceased. Six inches have fallen and street car traffic was suspended for some time this morning. Weather conditions apply to the whole district which can only be described as very bad. Farmers coming into town today report many of their number had to turn back because of the storm. Tonight rural telephone calls elicit the information that a northwest blizzard is raging.

Altogether weather conditions are abnormal. Some points were completely through threshing while some whole townships have not had a machine in them. A conservative estimate of grain unthreshed is said to be 30 per cent.

THE TOWN COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held Thursday evening last, with His Worship Mayor R. B. Welliver in the chair, and Councillors Menzies, Carscallen and Malcolm in attendance.

CORRESPONDENCE.

A. W. G. Allen, auditor's report; Deputy Provincial Secretary re. King's police medal for Geo. Bell, acknowledging receipt of communication; Dom. Memorial Co. re license fee; W. Bobey re. information; Secretary Department of Railways, re. C.N.R. application for change of route; Secretary Provincial Health Board, enclosing certificate.

COMMISSIONERS REPORT.

The Commissioners brought in the following report:

On Oct. 13th Mr. Haddin, of the John Galt Engineering Co., informed us that the Provincial Sanitary Engineer would require the Town to install complete filtration works for treatment of sewage instead of just the septic tank portion of the system. We immediately wired Mr. Owens asking him to visit Red Deer to discuss the matter. On the 16th he came, also Mr. Haddin, and we showed them over the ground and our proposed system. Mr. Owens informed us that we could go ahead and install the works according to our plans which were accepted by the Health Board three years ago, but that the Prov. Board of Health would not assume any responsibility for the works. He also stated that if we installed his own system of sewage purification it would be guaranteed by the Board, which would assume full responsibility for it. He stated that his system would cost only about half what the proposed system would, and that the present work could be utilized with very little loss, and that if we desired we could leave the work over until next year. This we decided to do, subject to your approval, and work was stopped on the septic tank for the winter. We had the surplus material removed and the excavation covered in with old plank and fully protected. A certificate approving of the laying over of the work until next year has been received from the Provincial Board of Health.

On Oct. 12 Chief Meeres reported the stock yard scales not weighing properly. We had them repaired immediately, and the next day they were thoroughly overhauled. On 24th Oct. the Mayor received a telegram from Calgary that some cattle that had been weighed on the scales were short in weight. We consulted the Town Solicitor on the matter, and he advised that nothing be done. The scales have been inspected since the repairs by the inspector, who reported them alright.

Notice of the revision of the voters' list was published in the two local papers but only one application was received to have his name added to the list.

Having received favorable opinions on all money by-laws from J. B. Clarke, K. C., we called for tenders for the total issues of $63,600 up to noon of Nov. 20th. The tenders will be opened at 2 p.m. on that date. We recommend that we be authorized to accept the highest tender if satisfactory and from a responsible firm.

On Oct. 17th work was commenced laying water mains through Woodlea Crescent. Pipe has been laid to the foot of the hill on Ross Ave. and by the end of the week should be over the top.

We have received a request from A. F. Botsford for our workmen to lay water and sewer connections from his house to the hospital mains. An agreement of the Hospital Board granting permission for this to be done accompanied it. The connections will be entirely on private property except where they cross the road to the hospital, and will not be connected to the town mains or sewers directly.

Mayor Welliver and Councillor Carscallen represented Red Deer at the Union of Alberta Municipalities convention held in Macleod recently.

We ascertained that the proper procedure to secure a Police Medal for Chief Bell was to apply to the Provincial Government to recommend the granting of this through the Home Secretary, London. We have written the Provincial Secretary setting out the facts, and they have promised to consider it.

We submit report of Mr. Miles on sewer extension on 2nd street S.E. through Parkvale. It will be impossible to put in the sewer petitioned for by the residents along there.

We submit herewith statement of receipts and disbursements for the month of October.

We submit herewith by law for the appointment of Returning Officer for the annual elections for the Town and school districts.

Mr. Greene and Mr. Davison, representing the Board of Trade, interviewed us a few days ago to see if they could have the front room in the Town offices for the use of the Board of Trade for the winter months. In view of the large increase in the Town business and office work this year and the probable increase after New Year, we did not feel that it would be possible to give up the use of the room without interfering with the Town work too much. On many occasions this summer it has been necessary to use the three rooms at the same time.

On the morning of the 8th inst. the waterworks intake became clogged with mud and ice, and it was necessary to shut down the pump at 5.30 a.m. Chief Meeres, Teamster Taylor and some of the Town workmen turned out at once and we sent for Foreman Millin, and started work to correct the conditions there. The water was turned on again about 9.00 a.m. We will take immediate steps to prevent a recurrence of this.

We have had the use of a lawn roller belonging to Jos. Slade for two years past. He now offers it to the town at 5 cents per lb., which is a low price. As we will require one next year for the boulevards, and this one is suitable, we recommend that we be authorized to purchase it.

A. McPhee, D.L.S., has surveyed the site for the stand pipe and prepared a description for registration purposes. We will have the transfer made out and executed.

The street are lights have been very unsatisfactory recently. Nearly every night at least one light is out and some nights as many as four are reported out. At the rate we are now paying for them this works out at over 34 cents per night for each light. If an average of two per night are out we are paying $250 per year for something we are not getting, besides the public are out the service they are entitled to. Generally the service is very bad, the lights recently installed are nearly all unsatisfactory and many of the old lights give a flickering light or a very poor light. The attention of the company has been called to the unsatisfactory conditions With Mr. Greene and W. A. Moore, manager of the Western General Electric Co., we visited and inspected all the arc lights in town on the night of Oct. 21st. Mr. Moore admitted the lights were not giving a satisfactory service and promised that conditions would be improved shortly. So far there has not been any improvement—in fact they are worse if anything. The contract between the Company and the Town calls for the light supplied to be equal in every way to that supplied by any city or town in the N. W. Territories, all material to be of the best quality and the lamps to be kept in a thoroughly efficient condition. It is evident that the Company is not carrying out its agreement and we recommend that some action be taken to compel them to furnish the service we are paying for.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

The report was adopted.

ACCOUNTS.

Payment of the following accounts was authorized:

A. Peer, $18.60; C. Thomason, $26.11; Red Wing Sewer Pipe Co., $541.97; Wage Sheet No. 4., $101.74; A. Peer, $14.67; John Cook, $11.55; Union Alberta Municipalities, $10.00; D. S. Long, $7.50; Gaetz-Cornett Co., $2.40; Red Wing Sewer Pipe Co., $0.95; W. E. Trump, $3.35; Steam Laundry, $1.55; Rob. Gee, $2.25; Day Hardware Co., $83.23; Crown Construction Co., $4229.37; J. Halstead, $4.00; John Galt Engineering Co., $520.08; Dr. Collison, $250.00; Western General Electric Co., $31.40; A. Herrington, $21.75; Bank of Commerce, $331.11; Sec. Horticultural Soc., $200.00; R. F. Taylor, $25.00; Sec. Alexandra Club, $6.40; G. Peterson, $19.25; G. Bond $13.50; Wage Sheet No. 3, $228.32; Imperial Bank, $1159.63; J. Morgan, $60.50; Great West Lumber Co., $186.84; General Supplies, Ltd., $255.50; Smith & Gaetz, $51.15; J. Cruickshank, $1.00; R. B. Welliver, $22.25; T. A. Gaetz, $2.70; W. Springbett, $4.50; Jas. Munro, $2.00; A. W. Fead, $4.60; W. M. Jarvis, $31.98; S. Millman, $4.00; Dr. H. George, $10.00; Western General Electric Co., $1.25; G. W. Strumer, $18.00; Wage Sheet for October, $3063.04; A. McPhee, $15.00; Sec. Board of Trade, $100.00; Greene & Payne, $68.80.

Moved by Councillor Menzies, seconded by Councillor Carscallen, that the request of Cushing Bros., contained in their letter of Oct. 21st, asking authority to build and maintain two steps, be granted, providing that such permission be given during the pleasure of the Council and that Cushing Bros. acknowledge total liability for any accident that might occur as a result of the steps being on the street line. Carried.

Moved by Councillors Menzies and Malcolm, that Commissioner Stephenson's attitude in the matter of controversy with Mr. Baird re. water and sewer extension, be confirmed by this Council. Carried.

Councillor Menzies presented his resignation as a member of the Council.

The Mayor and Councillors expressed regret at the necessity for the resignation of Councillor Menzies as he was removing from town. While regretting his removal, they extended to him the best wishes of the Council in his new field of labor.

The Council then adjourned.

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Some Very Fine ULSTERS and CHESTERFIELDS in very nice Scotch and English Tweed effects. All this season's goods, but broken lines.

$20 COAT - for $10.00
15 " " 7.50
12 " " 6.00

You know the rest. Be on the Job Early Wednesday Afternoon.

Such an opportunity rarely happens to this store, as our margins of profit are very close. So make the best of this.

CLOTHING AND MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT

This department is now complete in all the new showings. Full of snap, character and quality always. It's well worth your while to visit this department in all justice to yourself.

Fur and Fur-lined Coats, Suits and Overcoats, Lounging Robes and Smoking Jackets

Caps, Sweater Coats, Neck Wraps, Ties, Gloves, Gauntlets, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Ladies and Gentlemen

Don't have yourselves uncomfortable, when it costs you but little to have your feet comfortably clad. This is the spot where to dress them. **FELT SHOES of all kinds. ARCTICS 1, 2 and 3 buckle SHOES. MOCCASINS. RUBBERS. Etc**

DRY GOODS DEPARTM'T.



Now, Ladies, just a word to the wise. We have set aside for this week, to let you know we are still thinking of you and your wants:

25 HEAVY ALL-WOOL SKIRTS, up to $6.00
Black, Blue and Tweed Mixtures. **This week $3.00**

Just received a very nice line of **AVIATION CAPS** in all shades. These are exceptionally nice and very reasonable in price.

REMEMBER OUR
Ladies' FUR Department

All Furs, all this season's choicest selections,
25 PER CENT. OFF

This includes all Furs in this department with exception of Fur and Fur-lined Coats.

REMEMBER! we do as we advertise, and advertise what we do. Money back if you want it.

Red Deer's Busy Store **McLEAN BROS.** Red Deer's Busy Store

Lord Meath Empire Day Challenge Cups

And League of The Empire Prize Essay Competition for Empire Day, 1912.

The Right Hon. the Earl of Meath offers a silver Challenge Cup valued at £10 10s. to be held by the secondary school, a pupil of which wins the Essay Competition inter-all-secondary schools, and a similar cup to be held by the elementary school, a pupil of which wins the Essay Competition inter-all-elementary schools of the Empire.

The Competition is conducted by the League of the Empire, who offer a prize of £5 5s. to the successful essayist in secondary schools, and a prize of £3 3s. to the successful essayist from elementary schools.

The subject for secondary school competitors is "Colonies in Ancient and Modern Times, their development and their relations to the Mother State." The essay must not exceed 2,000 words and the writer must be over fourteen and under twenty on January 1st, 1912.

The subject for the elementary schools is "Describe the objects you would see in a town or country walk in your own neighborhood." This essay must not exceed 1,000 words and the writer must be under fourteen years of age on January 1st 1912.

All essays must be certified by the teacher, parent or guardian of the child in the following terms:—

"I certify that this essay is the unaided composition of(Boy or Girl).....in whose name it is sent in. (Signed)

Teacher, parent or guardian.

Only one essay can be sent from each school. They must be submitted in the candidate's own handwriting, and they must reach the Secretary of the League of the Empire, Caxton Hall, Westminster, London, England, by March 1st, 1912.

The names of the winning schools will each year be engraved upon the Cups.

The personal prize of £5 5s. has been won this year by James L. Mar- sell of the Brisbane Grammar School, Queensland, while a large number of competitors from all parts of the Empire obtained honorable mention. The personal prize of £3 3s. was won by Ethel Beatrice Lee of Raffles Girls' School, Singapore, Straits Settlements.

The Judges are, Prof. Ernest Gardner (London University), and Rev. L. O. Beven (College of Preceptors.)

All particulars of the Essay Competitions may be obtained through the Department of Education, Edmonton, or directly from the League of the Empire, Caxton Hall Westminster, London, S.W., England.

Marianne

Harvest Thanksgiving Sunday at Marianne was a great success. The school house was decorated in a neat and effective manner, which reflected great credit on Mrs. Bleay and Mrs. Boswell, the two ladies responsible. Mr. Boswell, who presided at the organ, carried out the musical part of the function to everyone's satisfaction, and Mr. R. Yorke, junior, was quite at home preaching to a Medicine District audience, while Mr. A. Millward read the lessons in a very effetive manner. The preacher dwelt at considerable length on the important position of the farmer as an indispensable member of the community and pointed out the great opportunities which those who followed farming as a calling had to observe the work of natural laws in the development of the fruits of the field. He said that in all phenomena of field life God was speaking to his creature man and appealing to the moral part of our nature. It was very pleasing to note the goodly humer of persons present and the satisfactory result of the collection made for the purchase of hymn books. At the conclusion of the service Mr. Oscar Norbey expressed the thanks of the congregation to Mr. R. Yorke for the use of the organ, which had contributed so much to the success of the service.

Mr. A. Millward, well known in Marianne and Evarts districts, has just left for England. His friends hope that he will return. He has sold the old Standinger homestead, which he purchased some six years ago, to Messrs. Yorke.

Credit Auction Sale

At 8 months, at Hillsdown.

Two miles straight east from Wm. O'Connor's Farm.

Owing to the storm on Nov. 9th, this sale was postponed, and will be held on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 1 11.

Instructed by Mr. Frank Choveaux, we will sell by public auction on the old Hughes place, the S.W. 1, 2-38-25, W 5th, all his live and dead farming stock and household furniture, as follows:

HORSES: 1 black gelding, 4 yrs. old, 1600 lbs.; bay mare, 7 years old, 1550 lbs., in foal to Percheron horse; sorrel mare, 9 yrs., 1000 lbs.; brown mare, pure bred pacer, single driver, in foal to registered Clyde; 1 black grade Percheron stallion, 9 yrs. old, 1700 lbs.; 1 bay registered Clyde stallion, 12 years old, 1700 lbs. The latter have been worked as a team all summer hauling gravel, are very quiet and splendid workers.

2 milk cows, 7 pigs, about 125 lbs. each. 14½ acres of oats and 7 acres of green feed in the stook.

IMPLEMENTS: Bain wagon and one other with box; Deering disc seeder; 4 section lever harrows; set rotary harrows, 24 inch; Deering binder, nearly new; Massey-Harris horse rake, 12 ft., nearly new; set bob sleighs; sulky plow, 16 in., new; Capitol Separator, in use 3 months; nearly new rubber tired buggy; log chains; bars; axes; mattock; spade; wire stretchers; carpenter tools; also set heavy work harness, cost $60 last summer; half set work harness; set double driving harness; good stock saddle, bridle and blanket.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE: Good range, cook stove, heater, 6 kitchen chairs, table, 2 rockers, writing desk and chair, a complete dinner set in English china, pots, pans and the usual kitchen utensils, bread mixer, iron bed, spring and mattress, and other articles.

The above stock all through is good, the horses are true workers, the black gelding and bay mare being a very fine team, so that anyone wishing to purchase anything in the above list will do well to attend this sale.

Terms of Sale: Sums to $20 cash. Over that amount a joint bankable note will be taken at 8 months bearing interest at 8 per cent. per annum. A discount of 5 per cent. will be allowed for cash on all sums over $20.

Luncheon at 11 o'clock sharp. Sale at 12 o'clock.

FRANK MOTT & SON,
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TORONTO GIRLS WIN MEDALS FOR SWIMMING

The Misses Cochrane Performed a Most Difficult Feat Quite Satisfactory

Two Toronto sisters, fifteen and sixteen years of age, enjoy the distinction of being the only women on the continent to receive the award of merit a beautiful silver medal, from the Royal Life-saving Society of Great Britain. They are Misses Dorothy and Honora Cochrane, daughters of Mr. Arthur Cochrane, physical director of Upper Canada College, Toronto.

The severity of the test required for the award is shown in the fact that the contestants must tow a non-swimmer sixty feet in five styles, the last sixty both the towed person and the rescuer being fully dressed. They must swim 1,800 feet by three methods; must undress on the surface of the water, must thoroughly understand the Schafer method of resuscitation and must break away from the drowning clutches of a drowning person. The Misses Cochrane were examined at Lake Temagami.

CRIME AND INSANITY

Kingston Surgeon Says They are Spreading Rapidly.

Dr. Phelan, surgeon of the Kingston Penetentiary says that fully one per cent. of our population is either insane or defective from birth, and then conditions are increasing at a rate much faster than the rate of the increase of our population. The weakling, the never-do-well, and the fool rear in the hovel and in the slum larger families than do the healthier stronger, and more intelligent class of citizens in more comfortable homes. Checking, therefore, as far as possible these sources of disease and degeneration, it would seem, ought to be the future lines to work upon. The influence exercised by these degraded classes upon their surroundings is incalculable. To diminish that influence has been the study of many painstaking and devoted workers in this field and whilst all agree that some methods must be resorted to to lessen the number of the defective class, there are differences of opinion as to the best, the most radical, and the most important of these methods. The segregation into colonies of these defectives has its advocates; the forbidding of marriage is also set forth though this might not prevent births outside of wedlock; the suppression of immigration; the strict supervision of the same, and the employment of other means all have their champions.

THE DUKE TO CANADIANS

Diplomatic Remarks of His Excellency's Arrival

The Duke of Connaught, replying to his welcome to Canada, said: "In coming once more to make my home among you I am inspired by a feeling of pleasure at renewing the associations of my youth as well as with one of wonder at the great development which has been achieved since my last visit to Canada, twenty-one years ago. I take this opportunity of making a reference to my predecessor, Earl Grey, and of saying how fully I realize the difficulty of succeeding one who had so completely identified himself with your joys and sorrows and by his long residence amongst you had become a most enthusiastic Canadian. I know well what regret he left you and how his sympathy and affection will remain with Canada till the end of his days.

"You have referred to my having taken part in military operations with in the Dominion some forty years ago I congratulate you on the fact that ever since then a succession of wise and thoughtful governments have as the result of their deliberations here in Ottawa kept this great Dominion clear of any similar menace to peace and progress.

"You have recently passed through the throes of a general election, in which both sides have been animated by a common desire for the benefit of their country, and a momentous decision has been arrived at by the electorate. I pray that this decision, and such others as may from time to time be made by the nation, may all—under the blessing of Providence—be to the advantage of Canada and the British Empire.

"That your progress may continue is my most heartfelt wish and hope, throughout this your twentieth century is my most heartfelt wish and hope."

TEACHERS' STRONG POSITION

Canon Tucker Says They are Ground work of National Life

Canon Tucker, addressing the teachers at London, took occasion to advise the pedagogues as to their duties. "Teachers of the nation are the groundwork of national life," he said. If they build strongly and wisely all the rest that makes a great nation will follow. There may be defects in our school system, but the good teacher overcomes these by the sheer force of his personality. This is being demonstrated in British Columbia where, despite the Godlessness of the schools, the pupils are being raised to a high moral level by their tutors. Canada is not a separate nation and will not be. She is one of the great family of nations in the British Empire which has rendered the greatest service to the world, standing for law, order, freedom and justice." He also made a plea for better salaries for the teachers.

BIG STURGEON AT THOROLD

Employees of the Davy Pulp Mill, Thorold, pulled from the raceway leading to the mill a sturgeon measuring almost seven feet, weighing one hundred and sixteen pounds. This is the first time such a fish has ever been caught in the canal waters. It is supposed to have made its way from Lake Erie to the gates of the pulp mill, where it could get no further. It took three men to pull the sturgeon to the shore.

A Nursery Proposal Co'y

Farmers' Magazine is urging on to the Agricultural Department at Ottawa the necessity of stricter legislature in order to prevent nursery frauds. Too many wrongly named trees are being sent out. In this regard, it suggests the registration of every nursery with the department along with a censorship of the agents' literature. Send for a copy to the MacLean Publishing Co., 143-149 University Ave., Toronto.



J. J. CARRICK, M.P.
Port Arthur. He resigned from the Legislature to run for the Commons.

SKUNK KING OF WOODS

The Animal That Men and Beasts Alike Let Alone in the Forest

It was story-telling time and the men about the camp fire were discussing the rank which wild animals hold among themselves, telling all sorts of yarns to prove that some particular beast was emperor of the Northern forests. The relative fighting merits of panthers, bob cats, enraged bucks and uncertain tempered bears had been gone over when an old guide who had been smoking in silence injected the question:

"How about skunks?"

Undisturbed by the shout of laughter that greeted this question, he continued:

"You can laugh all you like, but I guess that none of you would care to tackle a skunk if one strolled into camp just now, and animals is just like humans when it comes to that sort of a pussy. The skunk doesn't worry much about who's the animal king in the district where he picks out his home. And when he walks down a trail he owns that pathway, and don't you make any mistake. It doesn't matter how hungry any of the big fellows may be, they leave the skunk alone, and when they meet him ambling along they go the long way round.

"So far as I've observed, no animal preys on the skunk unless it's when he's very young and away from mamma and papa, so I make a guess that unless a man comes along with a gun or sets a trap for him the skunk must live to a ripe old age.

"Of course a dog will tackle a skunk. Dogs is like folks and needs a lot of experience to teach them sense. But there's only a few dogs that'll try skunk-hunting twice.

"And just look how human folks treats skunks. Suppose one should come along now and get mixed up with the camp stuff before you noticed. I don't guess that you'd any of you care to drive him away with a stick, like Jim Bellows says he did the big bear that come nosing about his camp last year.

"Out West I've heard that skunks goes mad and poisons folks with their bite, but I don't guess that anybody up here would let a skunk get near enough to bite him. Why—"

But just then the guide stopped debating, and with a look in which surprise and amusement were mingled, pointed to the leeward side of the fire where the pack baskets had been left. There in the firelight walked a small black and white striped creature with a sharp, knowing face. The animal was finished off with a fine bushy tail, which it carried proudly aloft.

It didn't appear to be disturbed by the proximity of the campers, but leisurely nosed about among the food supply and presently pulled out a side of bacon and began to eat daintily.

"There goes the bacon," whispered the guide, "and now's the time for somebody to show he isn't afraid."

But nobody moved. The campers sat in mournful silence, broken only by the subdued chuckles of the guide, until the skunk had satisfied its hunger and had gone away. And there was no protest when the guide remarked:

"I guess he's the king o' beasts hereabouts all right."

DOMESTIC SERVANTS

Mrs. Bramwell Booth Tells What Salvation Army Has Done

According to Mrs. Bramwell Booth, the Salvation Army sent over 1,000 single women to Canada from England in 1911 to take up employment as domestic servants.

Mrs. Booth said: "The Salvation Army has been accused of sending over to Canada the outcasts and the scum of England, but this is not so, for we are very careful who we send out." Laughingly, she added: "Canada ought to be very grateful for these single women being sent over, for I can tell you that I am anathematized right and left daily in England by ladies for sending out these girls, whom they are so much in want of as servants to-day."

SAVED THE DUKE'S LIFE

John Timson Recalls an Incident of 1867-8

Ex-Constable John Timson, Toronto, while in the British Army says that he saved Canada's new Governor-General, the Duke of Connaught, from serious injury or death at the army manoeuvres at Chatham in 1867 or 1868. General Simons, in charge of the Engineers, constructed a scaffold over some trenches, and then retired to allow the marines to cross. The scaffold swayed, and some of the marines were thrown into the trench, a few of them receiving fatal injuries. Timson rushed and stopped the Prince from going across. The Prince thanked him, and set to work to aid the injured.

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RED DEER'S SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT BY COMMISSION.

By A. T. STEPHENSON

All intelligent men who have had municipal experience under the old system must realize the necessity for radical changes and the adoption of more businesslike methods in town and city government. The system in general use is proving more unsatisfactory year by year; municipalities are more and more operating and controlling their public utilities, and the success attained, even under the handicap of antiquated systems of government, proved that with improved methods the measure of such success will be much greater. We see today, even, cities operating their own electric light plants under the control of a committee of the council, whose members contain change from year to year; the superintendent, presumably a practical man, who, and who only, knows the business, under their direction and control.

DEFECTS OF THE PRESENT SYSTEM.

Perhaps the worst feature of the present system is careless financing, owing largely to there being little continuity of policy and to the transacting of the business of the council through committees. A mayor is elected annually, frequently a man with little or no previous municipal experience; usually some or many of the council are under the same handicap. The council meets at the beginning of the year and strikes committees to manage finance, public works, etc. The auditors' report for the previous year, which, unfortunately, does not usually give a clear idea of the financial position of the town without careful study, is perhaps read; it is seldom analyzed, and more seldom understood by the majority of the council. It is then filed away. Estimates are prepared for the year, the only permanent official, the secretary-treasurer, who should know what is required, is seldom being consulted, and each committee gets as much money to spend as possible, regardless of necessity or expediency. The spending of the money is in the hands of the committee, and generally the chairman has not time to supervise the work done and to see that there is no waste or that the appropriation is not exceeded. The end of the year comes and it is found that some committees have spent more money than was provided, there is a deficit for the next council to make up. The new members perhaps feel that they are not responsible for this and pass it on. I have in mind a town where this went on until there was a deficit of $9,000, and the town had no authority to issue debentures for that amount to clear it up.

THE SYSTEM AT RED DEER.

In 1906 power was obtained from the Government to appoint commissioners, and in 1907 the system of government by commission was established. The mayor and secretary-treasurer were appointed commissioners, the former at a salary of $50 per month, and the latter at a salary of 100 dollars a month, which covered his duties as secretary as well. Committees were appointed, as usual, in 1907, 1908, but as their work was now done by the commissioners, none have been appointed since, and at present the council acts as a legislative body only, and the commissioners as the executive.

DUTIES OF THE COMMISSIONERS.

The duties of the commissioners are as follows:

To carry out all resolutions, orders and by-laws of the town, unless otherwise specially provided for;

To provide for the assessment and collection of the town taxes, licenses, water and other rates of the town;

To have the care, management, control and direction of the waterworks, sewers, and all other municipal institutions acquired, erected, installed or operated by the town;

To have care, management, control and direction of all town property, works, improvements, roads, streets, lanes, bridges, crossings, sidewalks, culverts, parks and all other property owned or controlled by the town, or over which it has jurisdiction;

To have the care, management, control and direction of the police force;

To submit in each year, as soon as practicable after the election of the council, after having received general instructions from the council of what plan or policy in matters generally, should be considered for the year—their recommendations and estimates of expenditure—showing separately that for ordinary expenditure and that under proposed by-laws—and the council shall consider the same and vote the necessary funds for such expenditures as they decided shall be made;

To submit such supplementary recommendations and estimates as may be rendered necessary;

To exercise all the executive powers and perform all the executive duties exercised by the old standing committees;

To present to the council, on or before the last meeting in November, a general report of the affairs of the town during the year, the expenditures made and suggestions for succeeding councillors or commissioners;

To examine and report upon all contracts and accounts referred to them, all annual estimates and expenditures, all proposals for the purchase of debentures, and generally to examine and report upon all matters connected with the finances of the town, and to have the supervision of the books of account, documents and vouchers and all moneys, debentures and securities in the secretary-treasurer's, auditor's collector's and assessor's offices, and to see that all duties and services which ought to be performed by them are fully carried out;

To have supervision over the town engineering, and over all matters connected with the construction, repairing and improvement of the streets, bridges, crossings, sidewalks, lanes, sewers, water mains, drains and any encroachments or obstructions of the same, not otherwise provided for, and of the planting and preservation of trees, shrubs, etc., in streets and public places;

To have charge and control of the public market and health, the market square, weigh scales, and of all buildings and erection connected with the market, and to have charge of the sanitary conditions of the town, and make all arrangements and issue such orders for the improvement of the town as may be approved by the council;

To consider and report all matters connected with the establishment of fire limits, the inspection of buildings with reference thereto, and the prosecution of offenders against such regulations as may be enacted, or against any by-laws;

To expend in a proper and judicious manner all appropriations made by the council for the relief of the poor or infirm;

To exercise a general supervision over all questions in connection with the present or prospective railways, or the establishment of new industries in or adjacent to the town, and to take any steps deemed advisable for the encouragement of such;

To have control of all firemen, laborers, teamsters, and other workmen in connection with any department, with power to hire or discharge them;

To cause all orders for supplies and material to be made out in duplicate;

The commissioners shall not have power to expend any money not authorized by the council, or appropriated for the purpose.

THE WORKING OF THE COMMISSION.

The commissioners meet each morning to transact business and oftener if necessary. The chief of police, foreman of works, market clerk and park and cemetery foreman are required to file each morning in the office, daily reports of their departments, showing work done the previous day, men employed on each job, wages paid, supplies received, and other matters of importance. These reports are filed in binders. They are with recommendations for future work. A daily record is kept of the business transacted by the commissioners.

The commissioners report to the council at each regular meeting—twice a month—on all business done by them, with recommendations for future work, and, monthly, report fully on the receipts and expenditures in each department, stating the amount of the appropriations expended. The reports are placed in the hands of each councillor and of newspaper reporters generally the day before the meeting, and if anything of importance is to be recommended, at least two days before. These reports are published by the newspapers, so that ratepayers are always fully informed as to what has been done and what is proposed.

RESULTS OF THE SYSTEM.

A few years ago Red Deer was one of many towns in Canada with no distinctive features more than having a beautiful townsite, and a situation promising future development. Today it enjoys the reputation of being the best governed town in Canada, while its financial position is enviable. Better men now offer themselves as candidates for the council. Sidewalks are built on all the streets of the town. These are kept clear of snow in winter at the town's expense. Streets are lighted with electric lights, are well graded, kept free of rubbish, and sprinkled in summer and fall. Parks are laid out and maintained. One near the C. P. R. station with a fountain and flower beds, and another near the Red Deer river is now laid out. The cemetery has been cleaned up, walks and drives built, grass sown, and the lawns kept trimmed. Graves are attended to by the town for a nominal sum. Water mains and sewers are laid, accommodating nearly every part of the town, and fire protection is furnished every building. Sewer connections are put into houses by the town for cost, the amount repayable by the owner in five annual installments.

A modern plumbing by-law is strictly enforced, providing for the inspection of plumbing installed.

Health rules are enforced, as a result of which there were, during 1909, only 10 cases of measles, 1 of chicken-pox, and two of typhoid, the latter both contracted outside the town.

A $30,000 hospital is maintained, partly by grants by the town.

A $50,000 public school is maintained, also a high school.

A whole block in the centre of the town is owned by the town, on which are erected a firehall, market scales and town offices and police station. A septic tank is being erected, cement sidewalks built in the business part, and some streets boulevarded.

With all this accomplished in a town of about 2,500 people, the total debenture debt of the town is only $139,468.22, or a little over $55 per capita, or deducting local improvement and waterworks debentures, a net debt of $72,600.07. Besides this at the beginning of 1910 there was a surplus on sewer construction account of $3,856.31, on waterworks construction of $1,245.97, and on general revenue from 1909, a surplus of $1,099.81. In 1909 the tax rate was only 22 mills with 5 per cent. discount for prompt payment.

In 1910 the rate was 22 mills; and in 1911 only 16 mills with five per cent. discount. Allowance should also be made for the fact that in 1911 the assessments on improvements were reduced to fifty per cent. of the value, and both poll and income taxes were abolished and assessments on the plants and output of all manufacturers were wiped out.

This is sufficient evidence that the commission system has made good in Red Deer. After investigating our system, High River recently adopted it, and from the many inquiries made by other towns in Alberta we believe that in a few years it will be generally adopted. It is in the hope that other towns will be induced to investigate our system and adopt more business-like methods of government that this is written.

Leslieville

A. S. Stewart, D. L. surveyor, was out here this week. His party is doing work out in this district.

Miss Lizzie Martin, of Ridgewood, is visiting at Mrs. Reilly's for a few days.

The Hallowe'en social held in the Leslieville school on the 31st was well attended. Games of all kinds were played. The guessing contest was won by Oscar Foreman and Miss Jessie Bott. A short programme was enjoyed by all. The phonograph selections given by H. King were splendid. Refreshments brought to a finish a very enjoyable evening. The entertainment committee desires to thank all those who helped in any way.

Messrs. Campbell and McKinnon, who have kept the general store here for the past two years, have dissolved partnership. Mr. Campbell will be greatly missed here by all, as his courteous and obliging manner has won for him the esteem of all in this district. The business will be carried on in the future by Messrs. Arch. and Will McKinnon. These gentlemen are both well known in this district and Red Deer as thorough business men, and the people of this district may feel assured of the same splendid attention that they have received in the past.

Miss Ida Read, of Prairie Grange, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Johnston.

Delburne

Nov. 8.

The climate of central Alberta is as subject to change as any other part of the country judging by the extremes we have been enjoying within the past few weeks. In last edition we spoke of the warm sunny weather we were having and at present time of writing the thermometer indicates the needle dangerously near the zero point. There is no ill-feeling dwelling in our minds however, as there is splendid moonlight this week and Delburne lake, being frozen over to a finish, has been the scene of a good many jolly skating parties in the evenings. Delburne is organizing a hockey team and we will be able to furnish further particulars at an early date.

W. E. Leach has rented L. L. Cook's farm. Mr. and Mrs. Cook are leaving very shortly for the south to spend the winter.

We hear rumors of a wedding approaching culmination in the neighborhood. Minute details next edition.

Messrs. Gunn and Paxton visited Col. W. A. Hogg at his place south of Delburne last Sunday.

Archie Smith has rented N. Goyne's farm, which adjoins his place, and purposes working both this winter.

Clarence Fuller and Gilson Harder went to Red Deer on Sunday.

Mr. Deming, traveller for the Calgary firm of the S. F. Bowser Co., Toronto, was in town last week. Mr. Deming is making a tour of Alberta in an auto.

Among those who are out of town this week are Messrs. Mewburn, Patterson and Kuffler, who are spending a few days in Red Deer on business.

Mr. Lund spent Sunday last at his home near Pine Lake. Arthur Mielke accompanied him.

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BY ARNOLD GOLSWORTHY

People in Bankford wondered why Marion Brett had never married, but only Marion herself knew the reason why. She was tall, and something more than handsome, while her devotion to the poorer folk of the village was evidence of the sweetness of her disposition. Yet she lived with her mother in the little red-bricked cottage at the end of the village, and rarely accepted invitations out.

She had not remained single from any other choice than her own, for she had many opportunities of marrying, and, as she was now only six-and-twenty, there was every chance that she would have many more yet.

When the new rector came to Bankford, the gossips declared that they could see at once which way the wind was blowing, and to some extent they were correct. The rector, the Rev. Lionel Kinton, was a comparatively young man of thirty-five or so, tall and athletic, and well endowed with the goods of this world. He received embroidered slippers and tobacco pouches from almost every single lady of his congregation, but not from Marion. Perhaps it was for that reason that he became the more determined to make her acquaintance.

He called upon her mother, and left flowers from his garden and grapes from his hot-houses, and, with all the ingenuity of the ardent wooer, he found opportunities of waylaying Marion on her errands of mercy in the village, so that he might carry her parcels or lighten for her in other ways the burden of her self-imposed labors.

That Marion appreciated these attentions was clear, and gaining encouragement from her repeated protestations of smiling gratitude, Kinton began to think of her as already his. One evening, in her mother's garden, in the shadow of the tall bush of rhododendrons which she loved, he spoke to her of his hopes. The words seemed to come as a shock to Marion; she pleaded that she had no idea that he had been thinking of her in that way. She was very sorry, but she had resolved never to marry for reasons she could not explain—reasons that were sacred. She admitted that Kinton's friendship had been precious to her, and she could only hope that it might continue in spite of her refusal. And Kinton accepted the terms offered, always in the hope that he might one day succeed in breaking her strange resolve.

He learned from her mother that Marion had lost her heart to another man when she had been only eighteen, and although eight years is a long time in such matters, it would seem as if she had not yet forgotten the man she had once loved so well.

Mrs. Brett protested that she never knew why the two young people had parted, and, indeed, Marion had never told her. Since it was necessary for Marion to have to admit that she had acted foolishly, there was no reason why the admission should be made to anyone but herself. She had repented often of having sent John Paxley away, but her repentance had never brought him back.

John had been her affianced husband, and for that reason she had told him she objected to the marked attentions he seemed to be paying to Janet Wadham, one of her friends. The quarrel had been of the usual trivial nature to begin with, but it was not until John had positively attempted to justify his action that the matter had become serious.

The proud young girl of eighteen would have no suggestion of a divided allegiance, but her mention of her suspicions had cut the young man to the quick. After he had returned to his business in London, he wrote explaining the circumstances, and asking forgiveness; but with the wisdom of eighteen Marion had decided that his contrition was not adequately expressed, and she never answered his letter.

Shortly afterwards Marion received a shock. For reasons that no one seemed able to understand, John had thrown up a good position in the City and had gone to America. She heard of him once through his "people," to whom he had written saying he was going ranching in Texas, and needed a little money to start. Since then all had been silence.

Yet Marion had never ceased to think of John Paxley, and to remember him in her prayers. She had been thinking of him this morning as she came from a round in the village, carrying a rather heavy load of basins which she had taken out that morning full of soup for her invalid poor. Mr. Kinton had helped her to carry her burden then, and she found herself regretting that he was not by her side now, once more to give his welcome assistance.

Thoughts of John Paxley, the man whose life she had ruined by her caprice, sharpened the temper of even Lady Bountiful, and when she reached her mother's cottage, and saw a tramp-like beggar slouching out of the side entrance with a newspaper parcel of broken food, she hurried indoors and spoke sharply to the maid about it.

"I've told you often enough, Mary," she said, as she took off her gloves impatiently and flung them on the table, "that you're not to give to beggars at the door."

"Yes, miss," replied the maid contritely. "I shouldn't have done it but the poor fellow pleaded so hard, and as he asked to see you I thought, perhaps, it might be one of your own cases."

"They all ask to see me. You ought to know that by this time, Mary," returned Marion. "Don't let it occur again."

The girl went away muttering, and Marion, finding that her depressed state of mind was not improved by remaining indoors, called to her mother that she should take a turn in the garden and then go for a brisk walk. She had hardly been in the garden a minute when the rector appeared at the gate. She almost ran to him in her pleasure at meeting him again.

"Do say you've come to ask me to take a walk with you," she said. "I've been down in the village this morning, and have got horribly morbid. I suppose the atmosphere of the sick-room is not conducive to high spirits."

"But the consciousness of good work done should be," replied Kinton, with a smile. "As it happens, you have guessed the purpose of my errand rightly. I came to ask you to walk over to the White House with me. They're getting the place ready for the new owner, and the gardeners are putting some superb rhododendrons in the grounds leading to the house. As I know they are your favorite flowers, I thought you'd like to come and see them at the first opportunity."

Marion, her spirit returning at the prospect, clapped her hands, and after telling to her mother to say she would be back in an hour or so, set out with the rector for the White House, the name of a somewhat imposing building situated at the far end of the village. The late owner had quite recently died abroad, and there was naturally a certain amount of unhealthy curiosity in Bankford to learn something of the new-comer.

The head gardener at the White House, in response to the rector's request as to whether he and the lady might look at the gardens, was quite effusive in his welcome. He seemed to take their visit as a compliment to his professional skill, and became garrulous at once.

"This way, sir; this way, miss," he said, walking a little in front of them, and turning as he talked. "Some of the finest plants I've seen, so they are, and we're hoping they'll bloom this year in spite of our putting 'em in a bit late. The new gentleman that's coming, Mr. Paxley—"

"Mr. Paxley?" interrupted Marion, turning pale.

"Yes, miss," the man went on. "Mr. John Paxley. They say he comes from America, though he's English right enough, same as me and you. He was the old gentleman's nephew, and has come into the property, there bein' nobody else in between, as you might say. He must ha' paid a lot for these 'ere ants; but he's very keen on havin' them this year, 'cause, he told me, he thought they'd please his wife to see 'em there."

Marion clutched Kinton's arm for support, hardly knowing what she did. There could be no doubt that this man was the lover she had sent away; and, while she thought that he might have remembered her as she had remembered him, it was clear that he had not been for long inconsolable. Was it possible that after all he had cared for Janet Wadham, who had caused all the trouble between them, and that he had married her?

Marion, still clinging to Kinton's arm, walked as if in a dream. She heard the talkative old gardener discoursing at length on the merits of his plants, and even arguing with the rector as to whether they needed a special soil for their growth, or whether they could be grown anywhere. But their talk meant nothing to her. She was realizing only one thing. That was that she would no longer be able to stay in Bankford when John had come back there to live. Her position would be intolerable. Her thoughts were interrupted as she caught the old gardener's mention once more of Paxley's name.

"They do say," the old fellow went on, "that Mr. Paxley had a pretty rough time in America, and that this 'ere inheritance came to him quite as a Godsend, as you might say. I have only seen him once myself, and that was when he came down from London the other day in his motor-car."

"Mr. Paxley been here lately?" queried Marion, making a strong effort to control her excitement.

"Only once, as far as I know, miss," replied the old man. "Some says that he's been here several times lately, but I never saw him myself."

He had been so near her several times, and had never called!

She leaned heavily on Kinton's arm as they walked, grateful for the support he lent her. Once she almost wished he would propose to her again there and then, he seemed so gentle and so sympathetic, and sympathy was what she needed most at the moment. There was something hysterical in her laugh as she said with an attempt at gaiety:—

"How quiet and grave you are this morning. Please don't worry about me. I am quite all right again now. I wish you would talk to me. You must make the most of me to-day because I am going away soon."

"Going away?" he echoed. "Why?"

"I meant to have told you about that," she said, as she turned red at the thought of her deception. "I—I have arranged to go to my aunt at Bournemouth for a rather long stay, and we shall have to find someone to take my place with our invalids."

Kinton had doubts in his mind as to whether Marion were being entirely frank with him or not; but at the same time he felt satisfied that she had said all she had decided to say upon the matter.

A week later, a cab from the station stood at the door of the red-bricked cottage waiting to drive Marion away. The cabman was making a tremendous effort to drag the three large trunks that formed Marion's luggage, down the garden path, and observing to nobody in particular that he did not see how he was going to get the things on top of the cab without assistance.

Marion came out just at that moment. She had been taking a tender leave of her mother, and her eyes were a little misty in consequence, but through the mists she could dimly discern at the garden gate the greatly unwashed tramp who had been the recipient of her charity a day or two previously.

"Here, my man," she cried. "Come and help with this luggage. You had much better do a little work for your money than come round begging. I'll give you a shilling when the work is done."

The tramp hurried to the cabman's side, but he did not take his eyes from Marion until she had disappeared again into the house. Then a reminder from the impatient cabman recalled him to himself, and he threw himself into the work with unusual vigor for one of his class. Just before lifting the trunks on the cab he stopped and seemed to be taking a great interest in the address on the labels.

"Don't you bother about that," said the cabman, "You've got no chance of getting the job of unloading, if that's what you want. We're going too far away for that."

Once at Bournemouth, Marion felt that she could breathe freely again. Kinton wrote telling her how greatly she was missed in the village, and she had been able to reply that she missed the village quite as much. At the same time, she was unable to fix a date for her return. It did not seem possible that she would ever be able to go back and take up the old life again after all that had happened.

It was on the fourth day after her arrival that her aunt said to her at the breakfast-table:—

"I am obliged to go out this morning, my dear, and I shall not be home till lunch. If a gentleman should call to see me, perhaps, you will tell him how sorry I am to have missed him. I forget his name for the moment—I am so bad at remembering names—but I wrote to him asking him to call this morning, and now I am unfortunately prevented from meeting him after all."

Marion replied a little listlessly that she would convey her aunt's apologies as desired. A little later in the morning the maid came into the drawing-room where Marion was writing, and without preliminaries of any kind announced the gentleman in question. Marion jumped up from her seat with a cry and then stood back as she recognized her aunt's visitor. Eight years had made very little difference in John Paxley. At thirty he was as handsome as he had been at twenty-two, though time had left a deeper line here and there than is usual at so young an age.

"I hope you will forgive this intrusion," he said quietly.

"How do you do, Mr. Paxley?" she said, controlling her emotion with some success. "Will you sit down? Did my aunt know that it was you I was to meet?"

"Yes," he said quietly; "she quite understands. I told her as much as it was necessary for her to know, in order that I might have her permission to call. You see, I have just come back from the States, and—"

"Oh, yes," replied Marion, racking her brain for some topic of conversation that would relieve the torturing tension of the moment, "I heard of your return. I understand we have to congratulate you on having succeeded to the White House property."

"Eh?" he asked, with a slight start. "Who could have spread the news abroad? I was trying to keep it quiet till I had seen you. But you came away from Bankford in such a hurry four days ago."

"It is my turn to be curious now," she said, with a perplexed smile. "How could you have found that out?"

"I will tell you," he said. "I am afraid you will be angry, but I want to throw myself on your mercy. As they say, to know all is to forgive all. You remember that tramp to whom your servant gave some broken scraps and who helped to load your cab? That was myself."

"Mr. Paxley!" she cried, starting to her feet.

"You see," he went on, as if prepared for some such outburst of emotion, "I wanted to see you again"—she was about to interrupt, but he held up his hand appealingly—"and I knew no one in the village of whom I could make inquiries without seeming impertinent. The disguise was easy one for me—Heaven knows I have had to assume it in grim reality often enough in my wanderings—and it helped me to learn what I wanted to know—that you were still free, and it might be, would be willing to hear me if I spoke again. I wanted this meeting with your aunt, without your knowledge, for fear you should refuse to see me, and—I—I was afraid of that. I have many things to ask your forgiveness for."

Marion had not intended to listen so long, but she found she had grown interested in spite of herself.

"Of course, I am very pleased to see you again, Mr. Paxley," she said, "and your adventures rather amuse me than make me angry. But I do not understand why you have taken the trouble to do all this. Does Mrs. Paxley—"

"Mrs. Paxley?" he echoed, stepping close to her.

"Yes," she replied, haltingly. "I went to the White House a few days ago, and the gardener showed me the beautiful rhododendrons that you have planted because your wife is so fond of—"

"Dear, dear!" he said. "Don't you understand, Marion? I have no wife. Heaven knows, I have never been in a position to keep myself until now, let alone a wife. When I came into this property and was making arrangements, I told the gardener I wanted the rhododendrons because I hoped they would please my wife. I was hoping then, as I am hoping now, that I should marry the only woman I have ever loved. Won't you tell me that I was right in planting them there for—you?"

He held out his hands as he spoke. Marion raised her own as if to take them, and then, telling him he must not mind her foolish tears, buried her face on his shoulder instead.

OBLIGING

In the scramble that followed a premature discharge of dynamite in a building a stout man lost a scarf-pin. After he began to search for it he noticed another man poking around in the dust and debris. He immediately grew suspicious, and at last spoke.

"I do not wish to give offence," he said, "but I must ask you to refrain from assisting me in this search. I appreciate your willingness to help, but as a means of self-protection I long ago made it a rule never to allow strangers to assist me in a search for a lost article."

"Oh, very well," said the stranger. "You have no objection to my looking on, I suppose?"

He sat down on the kerbstone and watched the stout man sift dust and overturn stones. After twenty minutes of painful stooping the stout man found a scarf-pin.

"But it is not my pin," he said dejectedly.

"No; it's mine," said the other man. "I heard it strike somewhere hereabouts. That was what I set out to look for, but when I saw how anxious you were for the job I let you go ahead. Your own scarf-pin, if you want to know, is sticking to the flap of your left coat-pocket."

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Oct 25, 4w.

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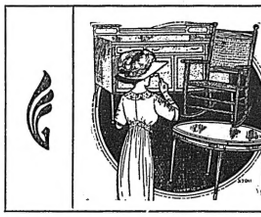
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LOCAL AND GENERAL

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Mrs. H. Y. Forrest has returned to her home in Winnipeg.

You can buy your Chrisrmas box in England at the bazaar Nov. 28.

Dr. Clark, M.P., was in town on Thursday, and left for Ottawa that evening.

Five minutes from Holland to Japan on Nov. 28th by the Red Deer special.

Mr. C. H. Chapman returned on Wednesday from a business trip to the east.

W. D. Watson, boiler inspector, leaves in a few days on a visit to Australia.

Mr. Geo. Owens has gone to Victoria, B. C., and Mrs. Owens and family go this week.

Mrs. J. C. Moore has returned from the east, her sister, Miss Pearl Ebert, accompanying her.

Captain Theo. Dominique's suit against the Saskatchewan Land & Homestead Company has been dismissed with costs.

Mrs. G. Patterson was the lucky ticket holder at the Royal Theatre last week, winning a lady's gold watch with number 739.

Mr. G. B. Gorrell, of Ottawa, is the new accountant of the Merchants Bank. Mr. H. V. Laurence has been promoted to Acme.

Be sure and hear the political discussion Tuesday evening at the Lyric. Mr. Tweedie, Calgary, Mr. Michener and others will speak.

Colonel A. B. Cunningham, of Kingston, Ont., is visiting his brother J. E. Cunningham, of the Saskatchewan Land & Homestead Company.

Mr. G. W. Smith went to Edmonton on Wednesday to attend an executive meeting of the Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League.

The Board of Trade office has been moved for the winter to the office next the Bank of Commerce, formerly occupied by F. P. Layton and the Valley River Lumber Co.

Millinery bargains at Lord's: The balance of our untrimmed hats at half price, also children's trimmed hats at half price; wings and mounts, assorted colors, at half price.

The first basketball game of the League in the Young Men's Club was played on Friday night last and resulted in a win for J. Mann's team against the school team by the score of 49-17.

The young folks will be glad to hear that W. Edmunds has decided to run the skating rink this winter. He is having it made wider than last year, and it will be up to the skaters to give him good support.

Ten cent tea will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Clutterbuck, North Red Deer, weather permitting, under the auspices of the W. A., St. Luke's church. A good time promised. All are welcome.

The Horticultural Society is making arrangements for a lecture on Civic Planning, by C. Lionel Gibbs, F.I.A., of Edmonton, to be held in the assembly room of the school. The annual meeting of the Society will be held on the first Wednesday of December.

A. P. Olson, who has been a prominent resident of the Red Deer district for many years, left for his old home in Denmark Monday last. We predict that Mr. Olson, although getting up in years, will return for another whiff of the pure prairie air of Alberta before long.

J. I. Geissinger, Arthur Duston, Jack Smith and Fred Lund returned Saturday from a great moose hunt about 65 miles north of Vermilion on the C.N.R. They were not fortunate enough to secure a moose, although they saw a number, but deer were plentiful and they secured two fine specimens. They had a fine time, although Art. cannot yet tell how he missed that moose, as he shot six times at him and he thought he was as big as the side of a house.

F. Mott & Son had a good sale at Mr. E. Springstein's on Wednesday last, although the weather was very much against a large crowd assembling, but those who were there were buyers and good prices were realized, 2 year old steers making $37.00 per head, a four year old mare, 1200 lbs., bringing $230.00, and other stock sold well. The sale made over 15 per cent more than Mr. Springstein anticipated. The sale at Mr. Chouteaux, Hillsdown, did not take place, owing to the storm, but it is to be held on Monday, Nov. 20th, when we hope the weather will be somewhat moderated.

Thanksgiving is always looked forward to by the pupils of the Industrial School with a great deal of expectancy. It is then they hold their Thanksgiving services and banquet. This year was no exception. On Thanksgiving Sunday Mr. Barner, the Principal, gave two addresses in the decorated school room on the subject of Thanksgiving. On the following Tuesday evening the banquet was given and was enjoyed by all. A number of toasts were responded to by members of the staff and visitors. Rev. R. O. Jolliffe, B. A., of Chengtu, China, gave a talk on China on Thursday evening, and on the following night delighted all with his collection of Chinese curios which he has gathered together. All were much pleased and were very grateful to Mr. Jolliffe for his interesting and profitable visit.

Humber has moved to his new store.

Geo. F. Root was in town last week.

You will meet with Uncle Sam on your travels Nov. 28th.

S. D. Haydon is at present in the Edmonton hospital, where he is being treated for an affection of the throat.

The Alberta Auxiliary of the Canadian Bible Socy.

A meeting of the above was held in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening last. In the absence of Mr. J. A. Carswell, the chair was taken by Mr. James Youmans. The treasurer's report was read, and the Rev. C. D. Campbell, M.A., B.D., of Edmonton, District Secretary of the Society, gave a short address. The officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, Mr. G. W. Smith; Vice President, Mr. E. Hill; Secretary, Mr. Carl Thomason; Treasurer, Mr. James Youmans. Executive Committee: Mr. R. Byers (Presbyterian), Mr. J. W. Broughton (Baptist), Mr. C. E. Hall (Methodist), and Mr. Ed. Wilton (English Church). The Red Deer branch of the society expect to raise $258 in support of the work this year.

Piano Contest

Following is the standing in the piano contest being conducted by N. Murphy & Co. and the News:

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Mrs. Ruttan	80,977
Fire Brigade	71,260
Mrs. Lowes	57,320
Young Women's Guild	55,635
Willowdale	48,255
Annie Wilson	45,280
Red Deer School	43,375
Beaver Flat School	35,030
Springvale Church	34,870
Convent	34,080
Penhold School	12,125
Poplar Ridge School	9,660
Lesliesville Sports	8,925
Saima School	6,005
Horn Hill School	5,575
Burnt Lake School	4,800
Pine Lake	4,570

The Wood Orchestra Co.

The concert given by the Wood Orchestra Co., under the auspices of the Red Deer Firemen, was a most enjoyable one. The three Wood sisters proved themselves to be a talented trio, and their rendering of several high class selections was a decided revelation of what talent and constant practice will produce. The violinist had wonderful execution, and is one of those rare artists are able to bring forth a pure, rich, full tone and illustrate the beauties and possibilities of her instrument. Miss Maxwell's recitations were well rendered, and she captivated the hearts of many of her listeners, especially of the younger generation, to whom her readings particularly appealed. Altogether the firemen are to be congratulated on the clean, high class entertainments they are giving the residents an opportunity of hearing.

BIRTH.

In Red Deer, on Nov. 6th, 1911, to Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Gray, a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

At the Presbyterian Manse, Red Deer, on Tuesday, Nov. 7th, by the Rev. W. G. Brown, Miss Cecile Marie Hiron, to Mr. Jules Clovis Chollin, both of Red Deer.

DEATHS.

Dave Anderson, a Finlander, unknown in the town, died in the Memorial hospital on Monday. Deceased who was 23 years of age, came to work on the C.P.R. last May, but never started work, having been in the hospital since that date.

Es en Olsen, of Lesliesville, died last Tuesday. Deceased was 70 years of age, and was a native of Norway.

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G. L. WASHBURN,
S.W. qr. of 9-38-26, W 4th.
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Nov 15

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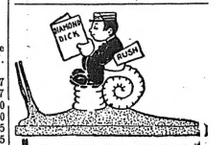
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We must make room for our large stock of Xmas Groceries now on the way, and we find that in order to make room we have to get rid of our Crockery and Glassware Department. Some of these will make good CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, others are goods used every day in the house

COME EARLY AND GET FIRST CHOICE

SEE OUR GROCERY WINDOW

If you do not see what you want in the window, step inside and look around. Every piece a bargain.

Vegetables Wanted at Once

We will pay the highest market prices for Cabbage, Turnips, Carrots, Beets and other Vegetables.

Phone 48

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DRUG STORE NEEDS

Shell Brand Castile

We have secured 200 pounds of genuine **Shell Brand** Castile Soap which we are sell at very little above the price of imitation castile.

Large 2 pound Bar 25c

This is the very highest quality Castile obtainable.

PARKER'S

DRUGGISTS STATIONERS

Phone 49 P.O. Drawer 266

TWO SPECIALS

No. 1

Six good high ROSS ST. LOTS, with waterworks past the property, for $2100, all cash.

No. 2

FOUR GRANDVIEW LOTS, on Corner on Grandview Avenue, for $150 each, on terms of one-third cash, balance in six and twelve months

Latimer, Botterill and Hill

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

Ross Street Phone 60

EVERYBODY SATISFIED

This expresses the feeling that exists with those who trade at our store. People like to trade where they can get what they want. Whether you are buying Candies, Cigars, Post Cards, Photographic Goods, or any of the numerous lines we carry, you can be assured of a courteous and respectful service.

How Cold Is It?

Keep from being jollied, and spare your health, by purchasing one of our Thermometers 35c to $2.50

Keep Warm

Get one of our Chamois Vests, for Ladies or Men, at $2.00

Coughs and Colds

Are very prevalent these days. Better keep something in the house.

Cascara Bromo-Quinine, cures in a few hours 25c a box

Recall Cherry Bark Cough Syrup 25c and 50c

Hot Water Bottles

Are a necessity adjunct in every household this winter. It pays to buy the good ones. We have them fully guaranteed for two years.

Mirrors

We have an immense stock of Shaving Glasses, Ladies' Hand Mirrors in solid ebony, as well as many others of a cheaper variety.

Men's Brushes

Just received a big stock of Men's Brushes in pairs, in ebony back, from $2.50 to $5.00

Tooth Brushes

A new stock of over four gross received in last few days—all styles.

Special—Ebony Brush in case for 35c

Xmas Goods

Our stock is now almost complete. Mail orders receive prompt attention. We will be pleased to set aside goods for you.

The Gaetz-Cornett Drug & Book Co., Ltd.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Don't forget the trip around the world, Nov. 28th.

H. H. Humber is now in his new store, Gaetz Avenue.

Mrs. H. Y. Forrest has returned to her home in Winnipeg.

You can buy your Chrisrmas box in England at the bazaar Nov. 28.

Dr. Clark, M.P., was in town on Thursday, and left for Ottawa that evening.

Five minutes from Holland to Japan on Nov. 28th by the Red Deer special.

Mr. C. H. Chapman returned on Wednesday from a business trip to the east.

W. D. Watson, boiler inspector, leaves in a few days on a visit to Australia.

Mr. Geo. Owens has gone to Victoria, B. C., and Mrs. Owens and family go this week.

Mrs. J. C. Moore has returned from the east, her sister, Miss Pearl Ebert, accompanying her.

Captain Theo. Dominique's suit against the Saskatchewan Land & Homestead Company has been dismissed with costs.

Mrs. G. Patterson was the lucky ticket holder at the Royal Theatre last week, winning a lady's gold watch with number 739.

Mr. G. B. Gorrell, of Ottawa, is the new accountant of the Merchants Bank. Mr. H. V. Laurence has been promoted to Acme.

Be sure and hear the political discussion Tuesday evening at the Lyric. Mr. Tweedie, Calgary. Mr. Michener and others will speak.

Colonel A. B. Cunningham, of Kingston, Ont., is visiting his brother J. E. Cunningham, of the Saskatchewan Land & Homestead Company.

Mr. G. W. Smith went to Edmonton on Wednesday to attend an executive meeting of the Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League.

The Board of Trade office has been moved for the winter to the office next the Bank of Commerce, formerly occupied by F. P. Layton and the Valley River Lumber Co.

Millinery bargains at Lord's: The balance of our untrimmed hats at half price, also children's trimmed hats at half price; wings and mounts, assorted colors, at half price.

The first basketball game of the League in the Young Men's Club was played on Friday night last and resulted in a win for J. Mann's team against the school team by the score of 49-17.

The young folks will be glad to hear that W. Edmunds has decided to run the skating rink this winter. He is having it made wider than last year, and it will be up to the skaters to give him good support.

Ten cent tea will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Clutterbuck, North Red Deer, weather permitting, under the auspices of the W. A., St. Luke's church. A good time promised. All are welcome.

The Horticultural Society is making arrangements for a lecture on Civic Planning, by C. Lionel Gibbs, F.I.A., of Edmonton, to be held in the assembly room of the school. The annual meeting of the Society will be held on the first Wednesday of December.

A. P. Olson, who has been a prominent resident of the Red Deer district for many years, left for his old home in Denmark Monday last. We predict that Mr. Olson, although getting up in years, will return for another whiff of the pure prairie air of Alberta before long.

J. I. Geissinger, Arthur Duston, Jack Smith and Fred Land returned Saturday from a great moose hunt about 65 miles north of Vermilion on the C.N.R. They were not fortunate enough to secure a moose, although they saw a number, but deer were plentiful and they secured two fine specimens. They had a fine time, although Art. cannot yet tell how he missed that moose, as he shot six times at him and he thought he was as big as the side of a house.

F. Mott & Son had a good sale at Mr. E. Springstein's on Wednesday last, although the weather was very much against a large crowd assembling, but those who were there were buyers and good prices were realized, 2 year old steers making $37.00 per head, a four year old mare, 1200 lbs., bringing $230.00, and other stock sold well. The sale made over 15 per cent more than Mr. Springstein anticipated. The sale at Mr. Choveaux, Hillsdown, did not take place, owing to the storm, but it is to be held on Monday, Nov. 20th, when we hope the weather will be somewhat moderated.

Thanksgiving is always looked forward to by the pupils of the Industrial School with a great deal of expectancy. It is then they hold their Thanksgiving services and banquet. This year was no exception. On Thanksgiving Sunday Mr. Barner, the Principal, gave two addresses in the decorated school room on the subject of Thanksgiving. On the following Tuesday evening the banquet was given and was enjoyed by all. A number of toasts were responded to by members of the staff and visitors. Rev. R. O. Jolliffe, B. A., of Chengtu, China, gave a talk on China on Thursday evening, and on the following night delighted all with his collection of Chinese curios which he has gathered together. All were much pleased and were very grateful to Mr. Jolliffe for his interesting and profitable visit.

Humber has moved to his new store.

Geo. F. Root was in town last week.

You will meet with Uncle Sam on your travels Nov. 28th.

S. D. Haydon is at present in the Edmonton hospital, where he is being treated for an affection of the throat.

The Alberta Auxiliary of the Canadian Bible Socy.

A meeting of the above was held in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening last. In the absence of Mr. J. A. Carswell, the chair was taken by Mr. James Youmans. The treasurer's report was read, and the Rev. C. D. Campbell, M.A., B.D., of Edmonton, District Secretary of the Society, gave a short address. The officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, Mr. G. W. Smith; Vice President, Mr. E. Hill; Secretary, Mr. Carl Thomason; Treasurer, Mr. James Youmans. Executive Committee: Mr. R. Byers (Presbyterian), Mr. J. W. Broughton (Baptist), Mr. C. E. Hall (Methodist), and Mr. Ed. Wilton (English Church). The Red Deer branch of the society expect to raise $258 in support of the work this year.

Piano Contest

Following is the standing in the piano contest being conducted by N. Murphy & Co. and the News:

Parish Hall	106,287
Mrs. Ruttan	80,977
Fire Brigade	71,260
Mrs. Lowes	57,320
Young Women's Guild	55,635
Willowdale	48,255
Annie Wilson	45,280
Red Deer School	43,375
Beaver Flat School	35,030
Springvale Church	34,870
Convent	34,080
Penhold School	12,125
Poplar Ridge School	9,660
Leslieville Sports	8,925
Saima School	6,005
Horn Hill School	5,575
Burnt Lake School	4,800
Pine Lake	4,570

The Wood Orchestra Co.

The concert given by the Wood Orchestra Co., under the auspices of the Red Deer Firemen, was a most enjoyable one. The three Wood sisters proved themselves to be a talented trio, and their rendering of several high class selections was a decided revelation of what talent and constant practice will produce. The violinist had wonderful execution, and is one of those rare artists are able to bring forth a pure, rich, full tone and illustrate the beauties and possibilities of her instrument. Miss Maxwell's recitations were well rendered, and she captivated the hearts of many of her listeners, especially of the younger generation, to whom her readings particularly appealed. Altogether the firemen are to be congratulated on the clean, high class entertainments they are giving the residents an opportunity of hearing.

BIRTH.

In Red Deer, on Nov. 6th, 1911, to Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Gray, a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

At the Presbyterian Manse, Red Deer, on Tuesday, Nov. 7th, by the Rev. W. G. Brown, Miss Cecile Marie Hiron, to Mr. Jules Clovis Chaffin, both of Red Deer.

DEATHS.

Dave Anderson, a Finlander, unknown in the town, died in the Memorial hospital on Monday. Deceased who was 23 years of age, came to work on the C.P.R. last May, but never started work, having been in the hospital since that date.

Esben Olsen, of Leslieville, died last Tuesday. Deceased was 70 years of age, and was a native of Norway.

Madame Isabel Quigg

(SOPRANO)

Receives Singing Pupils

Will attend at Red Deer one day weekly.

For terms, apply at residence—

Railway Avenue, Olds, Alta

HORSES.

I will winter 3 good work teams with harness, A1 timothy and oats fed, in return for work where horses will fatten. Enquire News Office.

Nov. 15, 1w.1.

VALISE FOUND.

A small valise containing clothes, etc., was found Saturday on trail west of town by A. Gehrke. The owner can have same by applying at the News Office.

Nov. 15.

DO YOU WANT

your Game Heads mounted in a first class natural manner? If so, send them to the Alberta Taxidermist. Prices very reasonable.

G. A. HARDY,
Taxidermist, Lacombe, Alta.

Nov 15, 4w.1.

STRAY STEER.

Strayed onto the premises of the undersigned, a yearling steer, red, with a little white, horns straight out. Short tail with white tip. An indistinct brand on right hip. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. and expenses.

G. L. WASHBURN,
S.W. qr. of 9-38-26, W 4th.

Nov. 15, 3w.1.

GAUNTLET FOUND.

Fur gauntlet left at News Office by Chief Bell. Can be had by owner on application. Nov 15

TO LET.

Furnished bedroom with heater to let. Suitable for two or four men. Apply to News Office.

Nov 15, 4w.1.

SERVANT WANTED.

General servant wanted, at once, in family of four. No washing. Apply to Mrs W. E. Lord, Fifth Street North. Nov 15, tf.

STRAYED.

From the premises of the undersigned, six yearling calves, branded JO over bar on right ribs. Kindly communicate with J. E. OLDFORD, S.E. ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 37, Rge. 27, W. 4, Penhold. Nov 15.

NOTICE

UNDER THE LAND TITLES ACT.

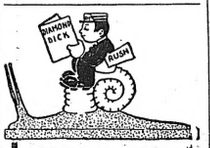
WHEREAS Octave Lucas, registered owner of Lots 27 and 28, Block 21, Plan 7604 S., having produced proof of the accidental loss or destruction of the duplicate certificate of title, and having applied to me to have issued to him a fresh duplicate certificate of title,

NOTICE is hereby given that, after the expiration of four weeks from the date hereof, a fresh duplicate certificate of title will issue to him unless, in the meantime, good cause is shown why same should not issue.

DATED at Edmonton the 10th day of November, 1911.

A. Y. BLAIN,
Registrar North Alberta Land Reg. Dis.

Nov. 15, 4w.



DON'T BE SLOW

in consulting an experienced optician if your eyes need attention. We can prescribe just the glasses you need if you will but give us the opportunity to examine your eyes. We cannot make a new eye, neither will we attempt to do so, but we can help anyone that glasses can help.

H. H. HUMBER

Graduate of Chicago Opthalmic College

Jeweller Watchmaker Optician

We Call

The attention of the General Public to the fact that we are opening out our CHRISTMAS GOODS this week, consisting of Cut Glass, Silverware, Carving Sets, beautiful Sets of Knives and Forks, Companion Sets, etc.

The DAY HDW. CO.

DEALERS IN

General Hardware

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS AT SNELL'S

The Home of The Bell Shoe

THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

HIGH QUALITY - LOW PRICES

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